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Sir:

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CORRECTIONAL SERVICES DIVISION

CORRECTIONAL SERVICES DIVISION

Alberta Correctional Services is responsible for the care, custody, treatment and training of prisoners in provincial correctional centres and for the supervision of adult offenders in the community. The Division is organized in accordance with a decentralized and regional structure – the Calgary Region, the Edmonton Region and the North/South Region – supported by one specialized head office unit – Regional Services.

The regional organization of Alberta Correctional Services emphasizes a commitment to decentralized decision making and provides for the integration of services and programs of the correctional centres and community corrections. Prisoners in correctional centres are provided programs and services including recreational activities, educational/vocational training, work programs, programs designed for the native offender, religious services, casework services and medical/psychological services. Co-correctional programs are also available at three of the centres – Fort Saskatchewan, Belmont and Bow River Correctional Centres. The supervised, joint participation of male and female prisoners in a wide range of programs and activities has not only created a more positive correctional centre environment, but also provides female offenders with more program opportunities than would otherwise be possible.

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, there were 24,267 new admissions to Alberta correctional centres. The majority, admitted in the Edmonton and Calgary Regions to the Edmonton and Calgary Remand Centres respectively, were persons arrested by the police or remanded in custody by the courts.

Persons sentenced by the courts in the Edmonton and Calgary Regions to terms of less than two years are normally transferred to correctional centres within these regions. Admissions in the North/South Region are normally received at Peace River and St. Paul Correctional Centres in northern and northeaste Alberta, respectively, or Lethbridge Correctional Centre in southern Alberta. Inmates held in custody during the 1982/83 fiscal year also included prisoners awaiting transfer to a federal penitentiary, prisoners serving sentences of two years or longer under the Federal Provincial Exchange of Services Agreement, prisoners in custody because of parole suspension or parole revocation and prisoners held for federal immigration authorities. A small number of prisoners transferred from the Northwest Territories were also held in Alberta correctional centres during the 1982/83 fiscal year.

The total number of prisoners transferred between Alberta correctional centres was 12,046 during the 1982/83 fiscal year. The average daily population of all categories of prisoners in all correctional centres was 2,985. A total of 24,077 prisoners were released during the 1982/83 fiscal year. (Statistical information on the number of admissions and releases and characteristics of the correctional centre inmate populations is presented in greater detail in Table 1-18).

Staff within community corrections are responsible for the supervision of adult offenders who have been placed on probation by the courts, adult offenders on parole or participating in Temporary Absence Programs and offenders participating in the Pre-Trial Release and Fine Option Programs.

Community corrections staff also prepare presentence reports for the courts and community investigations for correctional centres on minimum security prisoners being considered for supervised release into the community.

On March 31, 1983, the total community corrections caseload was 8,849, of which a total of 7,496 were on probation. (Statistical information on community corrections caseloads is presented in Tables 19-25.)

CALGARY REGION

Correctional Centres

The **Calgary Remand Centre** is a maximum security remand and detention facility which accommodated an average daily population of 346 males and 21 females during the 1982/83 fiscal year.

The **Calgary Correctional Centre,** a minimum/medium security facility provided accommodation for an average of 332 male prisoners. Additionally, the three forestry camps administered by this facility, located at Nordegg, Kananaskis and Highwood Forest,accommodated an average of 81 inmates. A daily average of 76 inmates were also involved in community release programs.

The **Bow River Correctional Centre,** a new minimum security centre, became operational in May, 1982. The average daily population was 113 – including 35 inmates on day release. The new centre was built to accommodate 74 males and 16 females, totalling 90 inmates. An additional 40 beds for inmates serving intermittent sentences are provided in trailers. A daily average of 74 prisoners participated in community release programs.

Community Corrections

The supervision of adult offenders participating in community-based programs within the region is administered through nine field offices. The total caseload under supervision in the Calgary Region on March 31, 1983, was 1,990 clients, of which a total of 1,663 were on probation.

EDMONTON REGION

Correctional Centres

The **Edmonton Remand Centre** is a maximum security facility which

accommodates an average of 455 males and 27 females. This facility also has administrative responsibility for the Edmonton Adult Detention Centre which provides short-term holding for the police and provincial courts. The majority of inmates held at this centre are awaiting trial or transfer to another correctional centre or penitentiary.

The **Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre** provides minimum/medium security accommodation for an average of 370 males and 45 females and administers four forestry camps for an average of 55 male inmates at Medicine Lodge, Miquelon Lake, Tees Creek and Judy Creek. The daily average number of inmates participating in community release programs was 61, while the average number serving intermittent sentences was 26.

The **Belmont Correctional Centre,** a minimum security facility, provided accommodation for an average of 82 male and 12 female inmates. This centre offers programs and services that emphasize supervised release of inmates in the community for education and employment purposes. In addition, the centre held an average of 45 males and 5 females who were on day release.

Community Corrections

The Edmonton Region administers 18 community corrections offices to provide community supervision to offenders residing in an area extending from Greater Edmonton to Jasper. The caseload under supervision in the region on March 31, 1983, was 3,702 of which 3,206 were on probation.

NORTH/SOUTH REGION

Correctional Centres

The **Peace River Correctional Centre** is a medium/maximum security facility, which provides accommodation for an average of 177 male prisoners. This facility administers a forestry camp at Footner Lake (High Level) for an average of 18 inmates. In addition, 24 prisoners participated on a daily average basis in the Temporary Absence Program.

The **St. Paul Correctional Centre** provides minimum security accommodation for an average population of 64 male prisoners. In addition, two forestry camps are attached to this facility – one at Beaver Lake Camp (Lac La Biche), operated under contract by Native Counselling Services of Alberta as a special program for native prisoners, and one at Fort McMurray, which serves as a direct admission facility for minimum security male offenders sentenced in the immediate judicial district.

Additionally, 22 prisoners participated on a daily average basis, in the Temporary Absence (community release) Program.

The **Lethbridge Correctional Centre** provides minimum/medium accommodation for an average of 143 male prisoners. A minimum security forestry camp located at Westcastle is also attached to this facility and is operated under contract by Native Counselling Services of Alberta as a special program for native inmates. Twelve prisoners participated, on a daily average basis, in the Temporary Absence Program.

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, construction was completed on a new facility to replace the antiquated Lethbridge Correctional Centre, which will provide accommodation for both male and female prisoners.

The **Lakeside Correctional Centre** provides minimum security accommodation for an average of 34 male prisoners in facilities on the grounds of the Lethbridge Correctional Centre. This centre offers programs and services that emphasize day release into the community for educational and employment purposes.

Community Corrections

On March 31, 1983, the North/South Region administered a total caseload of 3,157, including 2,627 probationers, out of its 24 offices.

CORRECTIONAL CENTRE PROGRAMS

Co-Correctional Programs

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, co-correctional programs continued to operate at the Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre, Belmont Correctional Centre and the Bow River Correctional Centre.

Native Programs

Seven native liaison officers, through the Native Counselling Services of Alberta, provided assistance to native prisoners in the correctional centres through counselling and prerelease planning. The Native Brotherhood/Sisterhood organizations were also active in most correctional centres during the 1982/83 fiscal year.

During the past nine years, there has been a significant decrease in the percentage of natives incarcerated in the correctional centres. For example, the proportion of native inmates has decreased from over 40 percent in 1974 to approximately 23 percent in 1983.

Recreational Programs

A wide range of recreational, hobby and handicraft activities are available to inmates in the correctional centres.

Educational/Vocational Programs

Services such as testing, counselling, tutoring, classroom instruction and correspondence courses are provided to inmates within the correctional centres, primarily under contract with the Public School Boards and educational institutes in the communities.

Five educational consortia continue to provide vocational/technical training to inmates in the major correctional centres. Courses are offered in the form of training modules in trade-related skills. Funding for these programs is provided by Alberta Advanced Education with the programs being delivered by the community colleges and vocational centres. A six-week life-skills program which focuses on securing employment, interviews, on-the-job behaviour and money management is also available.

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, the five educational consortia offered trades training in such programs as electrical maintenance, masonry, carpentry, plumbing, drywalling, auto-body repair, small-engine repair and welding. In addition, correspondence courses in academic subjects were provided by Alberta Education at all correctional centres. A total of 942 prisoners registered in these courses during the 1982/83 fiscal year.

Medical/Psychological Services

All correctional centres provide essential medical and psychiatric services to the inmate populations. These include nursing care, psychological services and scheduled visits by physicians and psychiatrists.

Work Program

Sentenced inmates in correctional centres are required to participate in constructive work activities during their incarceration. The work program is designed to motivate and encourage inmates to develop and maintain good work habits. An incentive allowance ranging from $2.00 to $5.00 per day, is provided as a means for inmates to make purchases from correctional centre canteens.

Each correctional centre provides work activities related to the maintenance and operation of its facilities. Also, in cooperation with other government departments, inmates in satellite facilities are engaged in a variety of forestry projects including fighting forest fires, campground maintenance and highway cleanup.

In addition, through the community work program, inmates contributed several thousand man-hours toward community improvement in several locations throughout the province.

Volunteer Program

The Volunteer Program continued to operate successfully during the 1982/83 fiscal year. Community response was excellent and continued growth in the number of volunteers, and the number of placements available for them, was anticipated for the 1983/84 fiscal year.

Volunteers assisted correctional centre staff by accompanying inmates to church, assisting in job searches, providing instruction for handicrafts, recreational activities and other services.

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PROGRAMS

Probation Services

On March 31, 1983, the probation supervision caseload totalled 7,496 cases (Table 19, Figure 5).

Presentence and postsentence reports and community investigations for correctional centres completed during the 1982/83 fiscal year totalled 30,618 (Table 20). The number of violation reports increased by 21 percent from 3,903 during 1981/82 to 5,513 during the current fiscal year (Table 21). Delayed probation orders, whereby the court provides for a sentence of probation to immediately follow a sentence of incarceration, increased by 26 percent from 847 during the 1981/82 fiscal year to 1,064 during 1982/83 (Table 21).

Community Residential Centres

As of March 31, 1983, 19 community residential centres were under contract to Alberta Solicitor General. During the 1982/83 fiscal year, community residential centres under contract received 3,656 correctional service referrals and provided 52,449 days of service at a cost of $1,375,155.66 (Tables 24 & 25).

Community Service Orders

The use of community service orders by the courts showed an increase of eight percent from 1,806 during the 1981/82 fiscal year to 1,948 during 1982/83 (Table 21).

Fine Option Program

This program provides work service as an alternative to payment of a fine. The number of people participating in this program during 1982/83 increased by 70 percent over the previous year. The total number of hours of work performed was 343,927 and satisfied fines in the amount of $1,582,252 (Table 22).

Bail (Pre-Trial) Supervision Program

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, 384 community investigations were completed on applications for bail supervision. Three hundred and thirty persons were under community corrections supervision on March 31, 1983, which included 127 in the Calgary Region, 174 in the Edmonton Region and 29 in the North/South Region.

Volunteer Program

On March 31, 1983, approximately 500 volunteers were providing services to community corrections clients in cooperation with probation officers.

Young Offenders Program

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, 229 juveniles and 551 young adults participated in tours of correctional

centres. The program attempts to inform young offenders of the harsh realities of incarceration.

Assistant Probation Officer Program

This program uses community residents in remote locations as casework assistants to probation officers. Special emphasis has been placed on the recruitment of natives for this program.

Temporary Absence Program

The volume of minimum security inmates involved in the Temporary Absence Program continued to increase, as the program proves to be an effective method of graduated community release. Less than one percent of the 12,701 inmates granted a temporary absence during the 1982/83 fiscal year committed a violation involving a new offence. (Statistical information is provided in Table 23).

REGIONAL SERVICES

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, the Regional Services Unit functioned as a support group to the regional offices through program evaluation and planning, the development of standards, the provision of statistical data to senior management, field personnel and outside agencies. The Regional Services Unit also published the Alberta Correctional Services newsletter, coordinated a province-wide inmate escort and transportation service and organized special programs for native and female offenders.

CORRECTIONAL MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM (COMIS)

In accordance with an overall design to improve the capability of COMIS as an offender booking and tracking system, a number of improvements were implemented during the 1982/83 fiscal year. In addition, the testing of the mini-version of COMIS began. Planning proceeded for the installation of the mini-system at the Calgary Remand Centre scheduled for May, 1983.

CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS

New facilities to replace the Lethbridge Correctional Centre were completed during the 1982/83 fiscal year. The new Bow River Correctional Centre was officially opened and accepted its first inmates in May, 1982.

EXCHANGE OF SERVICES AGREEMENTS

Provincial

Alberta has exchange of services agreements with Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Ontario and the Northwest Territories. During the 1982/83 fiscal year, a total of 39 prisoners were exchanged.

Federal

Federal inmates may be incarcerated in Alberta correctional centres under the provisions of the exchange of services agreement between Alberta Correctional Services and the Correctional Service of Canada. During the 1982/83 fiscal year, 16 federal prisoners were transferred to Alberta correctional centres and two Alberta prisoners were transferred to federal penitentiaries.

Under a separate agreement, parole supervision and community investigations are conducted for the National Parole Board. On March 31, 1983, a total of 77 parolees were under supervision; 448 reports were prepared during the 1982/83 fiscal year.

Under the Native Courtworker Program, which is cost-shared with the federal government, 32 court workers provided counselling and assistance to native persons required to appear in Alberta courts. The delivery of this program is contracted to Native Counselling Services of Alberta.

AUDITS AND STANDARDS UNIT

The Audits and Standards Unit was established to monitor provincial standards, policies and procedures for the delivery of correctional services in Alberta. All correctional centres, community corrections offices and contracted community residential centres will be audited on an annual basis to ensure that consistent levels of service and standards are maintained.

ESCORT SERVICES

Alberta Correctional Escort Services began operations during the fiscal year and provided escort services to correctional centres in the Edmonton and Calgary Regions. The establishment of this service will permit police agencies, previously responsible for this service, the opportunity to reallocate resources to law enforcement activities.

BAIL PROGRAMS

During the year a Bail Fund was established through a contract with the John Howard Society (Edmonton). This Fund allows the Society to assist indigent persons in meeting bail amounts up to $500.00.

SUMMARY

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, the Correctional Services Division

continued to experience a high volume of cases, both in its correctional centres and community corrections programs.

However, there were some indications that the rate of growth experienced in previous years had subsided, and that a decrease in cases may be experienced in the future.

It is still too early to predict whether this apparent decrease will affect the provincial correctional system significantly. Caseloads will be monitored closely during the 1983/84 fiscal year to evaluate the need for adjustments to the system, particularly in the area of capital construction.

TABLE 1
TOTAL INTAKE/RELEASES FOR ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

	NEW ADMISSIONS[1]		TRANSFERS IN		TOTAL INTAKE		TOTAL RELEASES[2]	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
CALGARY REGION								
Calgary Remand Centre[3]	10393	981	743	47	11136	1028	8153	850
Calgary Correctional Centre	31	–	2273	–	2304	–	1400	–
Bow River Correctional Centre	23	2	1089	94	1112	96	760[4]	64
TOTAL FOR REGION	10447	983	4105	141	14552	1124	10313	914
EDMONTON REGION								
Edmonton Remand Centre[5]	9067	986	1070	121	10137	1107	5690	705
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	42	6	3167	255	3209	261	1825	173
Belmont Correctional Centre	6	3	1454	214	1460	217	1164	168
TOTAL FOR REGION	9115	995	5691	590	14806	1585	8679	1046
NORTH/SOUTH REGION								
Peace River Correctional Centre	851	–	309	–	1160	–	957	–
St. Paul Correctional Centre	144	–	530	–	674	–	463	–
Lethbridge Correctional Centre	1722	10	145	2	1867	12	1695	10
Lakeside Correctional Centre	–	–	533	–	533	–	N/A[6]	–
TOTAL FOR REGION	2717	10	1517	2	4234	12	3115	–
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	22279	1988	11313	733	33592	2721	22107	1970
GRAND TOTAL	24267		12046		36313		24077	

[1] Admissions do not include transfers into other Alberta provincial correctional centres but do include persons returned from escape or unlawfully at large.

[2] Releases do not include transfers out to other Alberta provincial correctional centres but do include releases to other jurisdictions and persons escaped or unlawfully at large as well as judicial and other nonsentenced releases.

[3] Adult detention admissions were included in the data provided for Calgary Remand Centre. Detention admissions during the 1982/83 fiscal year totaled 3405 (3079 MALES AND 325 FEMALES).

[4] Male inmates incarcerated in Bow River Correctional Centre from April 1982 – June 1982 are included in statistics for Calgary Correctional Centre. Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[5] Adult detention admissions have not been included in the data provided for the Edmonton Remand Centre.
ADMISSIONS TO THE EDMONTON ADULT DETENTION CENTRE DURING THE 1982/83 FISCAL YEAR TOTALED 12250 (11808 MALES AND 442 FEMALES).

[6] N/A – Not Available. (Included in releases from Lethbridge Correctional Centre.)

TABLE 2

AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION OF ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983[1]

AVERAGE DAILY INMATE POPULATION		DETAINED	REMANDED	SENTENCED/ SENTENCED & REMANDED	FINE DEFAULT	FEDERAL	CORR. CENTRE SUB-TOTAL	FORESTRY CAMP	TEMPORARY ABSENCE	OTHER[2]	TOTAL
CALGARY REGION[3,4]											
Calgary Remand Centre	M	13	211	79	18	25	346	–	15	23	384
	F	2	11	6	2	–	21	–	3	5	29
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	–	4	326	2	–	332	81	76	15	504
Bow River Correctional Centre[3,4]	M	–	–	68	3	–	71	–	70	25	166
	F	–	–	7	–	–	7	–	4	1	12
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	13	215	473	23	25	749	81	161	63	1054
	F	2	11	13	2	–	28	–	7	6	41
EDMONTON REGION[4,5]											
Edmonton Remand Centre[5]	M	25	252	112	11	55	455	–	19	40	514
	F	–	16	7	1	3	27	–	1	4	32
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	–	1	363	5	1	370	55	52	34	511
	F	–	1	30	1	13	45	–	9	4	58
Belmont Correctional Centre[4]	M	–	–	81	1	–	82	–	103	2	187
	F	–	–	11	–	1	12	–	13	1	26
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	25	253	556	17	56	907	55	174	76	1212
	F	–	17	48	2	17	84	–	23	9	116
NORTH/SOUTH REGION											
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	–	13	156	4	4	177	18	24	7	226
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	–	–	63	1	–	64	37	22	1	124
Lethbridge Correctional Centre	M	–	16	114	7	6	143	13	12	10	178
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lakeside Correctional Centre	M	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	34	–	34
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	–	29	333	12	10	384	68	92	18	562
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	38	497	1362	52	91	2040	204	427	157	2828
	F	2	28	61	4	17	112	–	30	15	157
TOTAL		40	525	1423	56	108	2152	204	457	172	2985

[1] Does not include inmates escaped/unlawfully at large.

[2] Includes inmates in hospital, out to court, in transit or serving an intermittent sentence.

[3] Male inmates incarcerated in Bow River Correctional Centre from April 1982 – June 1982 are included in statistics for Calgary Correctional Centre. Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[4] Temporary absence figure includes inmates on day release.

[5] Detention admissions are calculated for weekdays only for the months from September 1982 to March 1983.

TABLE 3

INMATE STATUS UPON ADMISSION TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES BY REGION
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

ADMISSION		DETAINED		REMANDED		SENTENCED/ SENTENCED & REMANDED		FEDERAL		IMMIGRATION		OTHER[1]		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION	M	3086	29.5	2582	24.7	3457	33.1	1144	11.0	55	0.5	122	1.2	10446	100.0
	F	327	33.3	254	25.8	310	31.6	71	7.2	10	1.0	11	1.1	983	100.0
EDMONTON REGION	M	173	1.9	3686	40.4	3629	39.8	1503	16.5	123	1.4	1	–	9115	100.0
	F	18	1.8	523	52.6	317	31.9	96	9.6	41	4.1	–	–	995	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION	M	31	1.1	551	20.3	1478	54.4	639	23.5	18	0.7	–	–	2717	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	10	100.0	–	–	–	–	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	3290	14.8	6819	30.6	8564	38.4	3286	14.7	196	0.9	123	0.6	22278	100.0
	F	345	17.3	777	39.1	627	31.5	177	8.9	51	2.6	11	0.6	1988	100.0
TOTAL		3635	15.0	7596	31.3	9191	37.9	3463	14.3	247	1.0	134	0.5	24266	100.0

Missing Cases = 1

[1] Includes inmates held for police, inmates awaiting appeal, inmates held as witnesses, and inmates held for failure to appear.

TABLE 4

AGE FOR PERSONS ADMITTED TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

ADMISSIONS		17 YEARS OR YOUNGER		18 TO 21 YEARS		22 TO 25 YEARS		26 TO 35 YEARS		36 YEARS OR OLDER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION	M	872	8.3	3018	28.9	2470	23.6	2775	26.6	1312	12.6	10447	100.0
	F	121	12.3	315	32.0	202	20.5	231	23.6	114	11.6	983	100.0
EDMONTON REGION	M	707	7.8	2460	27.0	2002	21.9	2557	28.1	1389	15.2	9115	100.0
	F	98	9.8	304	30.6	221	22.2	261	26.2	111	11.2	995	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION	M	275	10.1	811	29.9	531	19.5	611	22.5	489	18.0	2717	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	1	10.0	3	30.0	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	1854	8.3	6289	28.2	5003	22.5	5943	26.7	3190	14.3	22279	100.0
	F	220	11.1	622	31.3	424	21.3	495	24.9	227	11.4	1988	100.0
TOTAL		2074	8.5	6911	28.5	5427	22.4	6438	26.5	3417	14.1	24267	100.0

TABLE 5

ETHNICITY FOR PERSONS ADMITTED TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

ADMISSIONS		NON-NATIVE		STATUS INDIAN		METIS		NON-STATUS INDIAN		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION	M	9477	91.7	414	4.0	176	1.7	273	2.6	10340	100.0
	F	748	76.9	115	11.8	32	3.3	78	8.0	973	100.0
EDMONTON REGION	M	6731	74.1	943	10.4	1285	14.1	126	1.4	9085	100.0
	F	588	59.5	122	12.3	239	24.2	39	3.9	988	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION	M	1231	45.4	1058	39.0	351	12.9	74	2.7	2714	100.0
	F	–	–	8	80.0	–	–	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	17439	78.8	2415	10.9	1812	8.2	473	2.1	22139	100.0
	F	1336	67.8	245	12.4	271	13.8	119	6.0	1971	100.0
TOTAL		18775	77.9	2660	11.0	2083	8.6	592	2.5	24110	100.0

Missing Cases = 157

TABLE 6

MARITAL STATUS FOR PERSONS ADMITTED TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

ADMISSIONS		SINGLE		MARRIED/ COMMON-LAW		SEPARATED/ WIDOWED/DIVORCED		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION	M	7633	73.8	1908	18.5	799	7.7	10340	100.0
	F	672	69.1	182	18.7	119	12.2	973	100.0
EDMONTON REGION	M	5605	61.7	2493	27.5	985	10.8	9083	100.0
	F	508	51.4	307	31.1	173	17.5	988	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION	M	1633	60.2	867	31.9	214	7.9	2714	100.0
	F	2	20.0	7	70.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	14871	67.2	5268	23.8	1998	9.0	22137	100.0
	F	1182	60.0	496	25.1	293	14.9	1971	100.0
TOTAL		16053	66.6	5764	23.9	2291	9.5	24108	100.0

Missing Cases = 159

TABLE 7

EDUCATION FOR PERSONS ADMITTED TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

ADMISSIONS		GRADE 6 OR LESS		GRADES 7 TO 8		GRADES 9 TO 11		HIGH SCHOOL OR HIGHER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION	M	469	4.5	1013	9.7	5956	57.0	3009	28.8	10447	100.0
	F	53	5.4	119	12.1	549	55.8	262	26.7	983	100.0
EDMONTON REGION	M	567	6.2	1376	15.1	5367	58.9	1805	19.8	9115	100.0
	F	66	6.6	176	17.7	569	57.2	184	18.5	995	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION	M	287	10.6	603	22.2	1503	55.3	324	11.9	2717	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	5	50.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	1323	5.9	2992	13.4	12826	57.6	5138	23.1	22279	100.0
	F	120	6.0	298	15.0	1123	56.5	447	22.5	1988	100.0
TOTAL		1443	5.9	3290	13.6	13949	57.5	5585	23.0	24267	100.0

TABLE 8

INMATE STATUS UPON RELEASE FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		NONSENTENCED RELEASE[1]		TIME SERVED[2]		FINE PAID		RELEASED TO OTHER JURISDICTIONS		OTHER[3]		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[4,5]													
Calgary Remand Centre	M	3957	48.5	1082	13.3	1972	24.2	1037	12.7	105	1.3	8153	100.0
	F	464	54.6	157	18.5	161	18.9	61	7.2	7	0.8	850	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	47	3.4	1174	83.8	14	1.0	4	0.3	161	11.5	1400	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[4,5]	M	12	1.6	587	77.2	81	10.7	–	–	80	10.5	760	100.0
	F	1	1.6	55	85.9	6	9.4	–	–	2	3.1	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	4016	38.9	2843	27.6	2067	20.0	1041	10.1	346	3.4	10313	100.0
	F	465	50.9	212	23.2	167	18.3	61	6.6	9	1.0	914	100.0
EDMONTON REGION													
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	2534	44.5	316	5.5	1591	18.0	1215	21.4	34	0.6	5690	100.0
	F	417	59.2	58	8.2	151	21.4	76	10.8	3	0.4	705	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	45	2.5	1588	87.0	81	4.4	3	0.2	108	5.9	1825	100.0
	F	5	2.9	140	80.9	10	5.8	2	1.2	16	9.2	173	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	16	1.3	1018	87.5	48	4.1	1	0.1	81	7.0	1164	100.0
	F	–	–	148	88.1	7	4.2	–	–	13	7.7	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	2595	29.9	2922	33.7	1720	19.8	1219	14.0	223	2.6	8679	100.0
	F	422	40.3	346	33.1	168	16.1	78	7.5	32	3.0	1046	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[6]													
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	120	12.5	570	59.6	244	25.5	5	0.5	18	1.9	957	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	6	1.3	385	83.1	23	5.0	1	0.2	48	10.4	463	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[6]	M	195	11.5	913	53.9	490	28.9	66	3.9	31	1.8	1695	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	10	100.0	–	–	–	–	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	321	10.3	1868	60.0	757	24.3	72	2.3	97	3.1	3115	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	10	100.0	–	–	–	–	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	6932	31.4	7633	34.5	4544	20.6	2332	10.5	666	3.0	22107	100.0
	F	887	45.0	558	28.3	345	17.5	139	7.1	41	2.1	1970	100.0
TOTAL		7819	32.5	8191	34.0	4889	20.3	2471	10.3	707	2.9	24077	100.0

[1] Includes inmates released by the court.
[2] Includes administrative releases.
[3] Includes inmates who were released when sober. Also included are federal (including inmates under mandatory supervision) and provincial inmates on parole, escaped/unlawfully at large and deceased inmates.
[4] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 – June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.
[5] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.
[6] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included in statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 9

AGE FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		17 YEARS OR YOUNGER		18 TO 21 YEARS		22 TO 25 YEARS		26 TO 35 YEARS		36 YEARS OR OLDER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[1,2]													
Calgary Remand Centre	M	653	8.0	2327	28.5	1937	23.8	2203	27.0	1033	12.7	8153	100.0
	F	113	13.3	268	31.5	181	21.3	189	22.2	99	11.7	850	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	146	10.4	451	32.2	317	22.6	313	22.4	173	12.4	1400	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[1,2]	M	80	10.5	230	30.2	174	22.9	195	25.7	81	10.7	760	100.0
	F	3	4.7	24	37.5	12	18.7	17	26.6	8	12.5	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	879	8.5	3008	29.1	2428	23.6	2711	26.3	1287	12.5	10313	100.0
	F	116	12.7	292	32.0	193	21.1	206	22.5	107	11.7	914	100.0
EDMONTON REGION													
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	382	6.7	1477	26.0	1300	22.8	1701	29.9	830	14.6	5690	100.0
	F	76	10.8	216	30.7	154	21.8	187	26.5	72	10.2	705	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	139	7.6	454	24.9	375	20.5	531	29.1	326	17.9	1825	100.0
	F	14	8.1	52	30.1	47	27.2	49	28.3	11	6.3	173	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	132	11.3	367	31.5	221	19.0	271	23.3	173	14.9	1164	100.0
	F	15	8.9	58	34.5	30	17.9	38	22.6	27	16.1	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	653	7.5	2298	26.5	1896	21.9	2503	28.8	1329	15.3	8679	100.0
	F	105	10.0	326	31.2	231	22.1	274	26.2	110	10.5	1046	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[3]													
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	78	8.2	295	30.8	206	21.5	229	23.9	149	15.6	957	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	80	17.3	185	40.0	90	19.4	55	11.9	53	11.4	463	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[3]	M	182	10.7	491	29.0	323	19.1	383	22.6	316	18.6	1695	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	1	10.0	3	30.0	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	340	10.9	971	31.2	619	19.9	667	21.4	518	16.6	3115	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	1	10.0	3	30.0	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	1872	8.5	6277	28.4	4943	22.3	5881	26.6	3134	14.2	22107	100.0
	F	222	11.3	621	31.5	425	21.6	483	24.5	219	11.1	1970	100.0
TOTAL		2094	8.7	6898	28.7	5368	22.3	6364	26.4	3353	13.9	24077	100.0

[1] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 – June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.

[2] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[3] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included with statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 10

ETHNICITY FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		NON-NATIVE		STATUS INDIAN		METIS		NON-STATUS INDIAN		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[1,2]											
Calgary Remand Centre	M	7429	92.2	290	3.6	134	1.7	202	2.5	8055	100.0
	F	652	77.6	92	11.0	28	3.3	68	8.1	840	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	1221	87.6	90	6.5	38	2.7	45	3.2	1394	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[1,2]	M	705	93.2	25	3.3	11	1.5	15	2.0	756	100.0
	F	40	62.5	18	28.1	2	3.1	4	6.3	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	9355	91.7	405	4.0	183	1.8	262	2.5	10205	100.0
	F	692	76.5	110	12.2	30	3.3	72	8.0	904	100.0
EDMONTON REGION											
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	4294	75.8	518	9.1	763	13.5	89	1.6	5664	100.0
	F	421	60.3	79	11.3	172	24.7	26	3.7	698	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	1272	69.7	227	12.4	302	16.6	24	1.3	1825	100.0
	F	100	57.8	28	16.2	36	20.8	9	5.2	173	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	1005	86.5	69	5.9	78	6.7	10	0.9	1162	100.0
	F	116	69.1	14	8.3	34	20.2	4	2.4	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	6571	76.0	814	9.4	1143	13.2	123	1.4	8651	100.0
	F	637	61.3	121	11.7	242	23.3	39	3.7	1039	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[3]											
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	375	39.2	237	24.8	295	30.8	50	5.2	957	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	225	48.7	112	24.2	116	25.1	9	2.0	462	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[3]	M	842	49.7	787	46.5	41	2.4	23	1.4	1693	100.0
	F	–	–	8	80.0	–	–	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	1442	46.4	1136	36.5	452	14.5	82	2.6	3112	100.0
	F	–	–	8	80.0	–	–	2	20.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	17368	79.1	2355	10.7	1778	8.1	467	2.1	21968	100.0
	F	1329	68.1	239	12.2	272	13.9	113	5.8	1953	100.0
TOTAL		18697	78.2	2594	10.8	2050	8.6	580	2.4	23921	100.0

Missing Cases = 156

[1] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 – June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.

[2] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[3] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included with statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 11

MARITAL STATUS FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		SINGLE		MARRIED/ COMMON-LAW		SEPARATED/ WIDOWED/DIVORCED		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[1,2]									
Calgary Remand Centre	M	5990	74.4	1460	18.1	605	7.5	8055	100.0
	F	595	70.9	144	17.1	101	12.0	840	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	1027	73.7	244	17.5	123	8.8	1394	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[1,2]	M	548	72.5	152	20.1	56	7.4	756	100.0
	F	44	68.7	12	18.8	8	12.5	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	7565	74.1	1856	18.2	784	7.7	10205	100.0
	F	639	70.7	156	17.2	109	12.1	904	100.0
EDMONTON REGION									
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	3478	61.4	1559	27.5	625	11.1	5662	100.0
	F	379	54.3	201	28.8	118	16.9	698	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	1115	61.1	509	27.9	201	11.0	1825	100.0
	F	90	52.0	52	30.1	31	17.9	173	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	705	60.7	313	26.9	144	12.4	1162	100.0
	F	72	42.9	62	36.9	34	20.2	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	5298	61.3	2381	27.5	970	11.2	8649	100.0
	F	541	52.1	315	30.3	183	17.6	1039	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[3]									
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	631	65.9	248	25.9	78	8.2	957	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	353	76.4	77	16.7	32	6.9	462	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[3]	M	966	57.1	586	34.6	141	8.3	1693	100.0
	F	2	20.0	7	70.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	1950	62.6	911	29.3	251	8.1	3112	100.0
	F	2	20.0	7	70.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	14813	67.5	5148	23.4	2005	9.1	21966	100.0
	F	1182	60.5	478	24.5	293	15.0	1953	100.0
TOTAL		15995	66.9	5626	23.5	2298	9.6	23919	100.0

Missing Cases = 158

[1] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 – June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.

[2] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[3] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included with statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 12

EDUCATION COMPLETED FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		GRADE 6 OR LESS		GRADES 7 TO 8		GRADES 9 TO 11		HIGH SCHOOL OR HIGHER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[1,2]											
Calgary Remand Centre	M	364	4.5	765	9.4	4562	55.9	2462	30.2	8153	100.0
	F	45	5.3	103	12.1	471	55.4	231	27.2	850	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	83	5.9	172	12.3	837	59.8	308	22.0	1400	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[1,2]	M	25	3.3	76	10.0	461	60.7	198	26.0	760	100.0
	F	8	12.5	11	17.2	30	46.9	15	23.4	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	472	4.6	1013	9.8	5860	56.8	2968	28.8	10313	100.0
	F	53	5.8	114	12.5	501	54.8	246	26.9	914	100.0
EDMONTON REGION											
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	356	6.3	769	13.5	3350	58.9	1215	21.3	5690	100.0
	F	45	6.4	117	16.6	413	58.6	130	18.4	705	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	149	8.2	311	17.0	1034	56.7	331	18.1	1825	100.0
	F	12	6.9	43	24.9	91	52.6	27	15.6	173	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	44	3.8	172	14.7	676	58.1	272	23.4	1164	100.0
	F	10	5.9	22	13.1	94	56.0	42	25.0	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	549	6.3	1252	14.4	5060	58.3	1818	21.0	8679	100.0
	F	67	6.4	182	17.4	598	57.2	199	19.0	1046	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[3]											
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	135	14.1	242	25.3	488	51.0	92	9.6	957	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	30	6.5	112	24.2	289	62.4	32	6.9	463	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[3]	M	139	8.2	334	19.7	994	58.6	228	13.5	1695	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	5	50.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	304	9.7	688	22.1	1771	56.9	352	11.3	3115	100.0
	F	1	10.0	3	30.0	5	50.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	1325	6.0	2953	13.4	12691	57.4	5138	23.2	22107	100.0
	F	121	6.1	299	15.2	1104	56.0	446	22.7	1970	100.0
TOTAL		1446	6.0	3252	13.5	13795	57.3	5584	23.2	24077	100.0

[1] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 - June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.

[2] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.

[3] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included with statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 13

AGGREGATE SENTENCE FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

RELEASES		1 TO 31 DAYS		32 TO 92 DAYS		93 TO 184 DAYS		185 TO 366 DAYS		367 DAYS OR LONGER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION[1,2]													
Calgary Remand Centre	M	2638	70.4	577	15.4	93	2.5	37	1.0	402	10.7	3747	100.0
	F	271	81.9	43	13.0	10	3.0	5	1.5	2	0.6	331	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	249	18.0	322	23.3	311	22.5	256	18.5	246	17.7	1384	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre[1,2]	M	218	28.7	295	38.9	113	14.9	78	10.3	55	7.2	759	100.0
	F	31	48.4	25	39.1	6	9.4	2	3.1	–	–	64	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	3105	52.7	1194	20.3	517	8.8	371	6.3	703	11.9	5890	100.0
	F	302	76.5	68	17.2	16	4.0	7	1.8	2	0.5	395	100.0
EDMONTON REGION													
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	1691	56.9	577	19.4	110	3.7	62	2.1	532	17.9	2972	100.0
	F	218	83.8	28	10.8	2	0.8	5	1.9	7	2.7	260	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	500	27.5	498	27.4	330	18.2	293	16.1	197	10.8	1818	100.0
	F	42	24.7	53	31.2	19	11.2	23	13.5	33	19.4	170	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	379	32.6	356	30.6	237	20.4	131	11.3	60	5.1	1163	100.0
	F	67	39.9	45	26.8	31	18.4	19	11.3	6	3.6	168	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	2570	43.2	1431	24.0	677	11.4	486	8.2	789	13.2	5953	100.0
	F	327	54.7	126	21.1	52	8.7	47	7.8	46	7.7	598	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[3]													
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	264	30.5	270	31.2	117	13.5	124	14.4	90	10.4	865	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	57	12.5	119	26.1	155	34.0	93	20.4	32	7.0	456	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[3]	M	684	46.6	437	29.8	169	11.5	98	6.7	79	5.4	1467	100.0
	F	5	55.6	4	44.4	–	–	–	–	–	–	9	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	1005	36.1	826	29.6	441	15.8	315	11.3	201	7.2	2788	100.0
	F	5	55.6	4	44.4	–	–	–	–	–	–	9	100.0
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	6680	45.6	3451	23.6	1635	11.2	1172	8.0	1693	11.6	14631	100.0
	F	634	63.3	198	19.7	68	6.8	54	5.4	48	4.8	1002	100.0
TOTAL		7314	46.8	3649	23.4	1703	10.9	1226	7.8	1741	11.1	15633	100.0

[1] Data for male inmates released from Bow River Correctional Centre during the months from April 1982 – June 1982 are included with statistics provided for Calgary Correctional Centre.
[2] Female inmates were accepted at Bow River Correctional Centre commencing September 1982.
[3] Data for persons released from Lakeside Correctional Centre are included with statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.
NOTE: THE MEAN AGGREGATE SENTENCE FOR PERSONS RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES WAS APPROXIMATELY 111 DAYS.

TABLE 14

OFFENCE STATISTICS BY REGION FOR PERSONS SENTENCED TO A PERIOD OF INCARCERATION

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

TYPE OF OFFENCE	CALGARY REGION					EDMONTON REGION						NORTH/SOUTH REGION[1]				TOTAL		
	CRC		CCC	BRCC		ERC		FSCC		BCC		PRCC	SPCC	LCC[1]		FOR PROVINCE		
	M	F	M	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	M	M	F	M	F	TOTAL
VIOLENT																		
Murder/Attempted Murder/Manslaughter	15	2	1	–	–	35	2	3	5	–	–	2	–	5	–	61	9	70
Rape/Attempted Rape	30	–	4	2	–	26	–	4	–	–	–	5	–	3	–	74	–	74
Robbery/Attempted Robbery	89	3	49	1	–	160	5	50	13	1	3	12	1	15	–	378	24	402
Assault (Other than Common Assault)	36	3	39	6	–	38	7	47	6	9	5	9	7	15	–	206	21	227
Criminal Negligence	5	–	13	2	–	6	–	12	–	4	1	2	1	2	–	47	1	48
Other	34	1	47	8	–	52	5	85	1	2	–	24	2	23	–	277	7	284
INVOLVING DANGEROUS WEAPONS	112	2	68	22	1	143	2	122	13	20	–	37	11	46	–	581	18	599
PROPERTY																		
Break and Enter	252	3	377	99	2	365	5	382	13	161	7	167	254	266	–	2323	30	2353
Theft	631	110	460	161	40	461	61	604	36	245	59	184	148	225	1	3119	307	3426
Auto Theft	16	1	15	5	–	21	–	20	–	12	–	20	12	10	–	131	1	132
Stolen Property	191	30	208	72	5	271	14	370	19	112	9	68	96	133	1	1521	78	1599
False Pretense	83	31	104	16	7	64	4	57	9	50	14	29	17	80	–	500	65	565
Fraud	129	17	87	24	15	115	10	114	13	53	15	18	42	56	–	638	70	708
Forgery/Utterance	59	26	78	18	8	63	2	83	54	42	20	10	40	62	–	455	110	565
Other	78	14	78	28	5	67	8	82	14	27	4	10	31	23	–	424	45	469
DRIVING (CRIMINAL CODE)																		
Dangerous Driving	130	3	68	34	4	64	–	74	2	58	1	29	19	39	–	515	10	525
Impaired Driving/Refuse Breathalyzer/ Exceed .08 mg Alcohol	967	56	359	173	21	751	46	418	12	376	24	216	147	437	3	3844	162	4006
AGAINST THE PUBLIC ORDER																		
Mischief and Wilful Acts	155	8	124	51	2	150	7	141	6	59	4	47	31	76	–	834	27	861
Other	7	–	1	1	–	1	–	3	1	–	–	–	–	3	–	16	1	17

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TABLE 14 (continued)

TYPE OF OFFENCE	CALGARY REGION					EDMONTON REGION						NORTH/SOUTH REGION[1]				TOTAL		
	CRC		CCC	BRCC		ERC		FSCC		BCC		PRCC	SPCC	LCC[1]		FOR PROVINCE		
	M	F	M	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	M	M	F	M	F	TOTAL
AGAINST THE PERSON																		
Common Assault	90	4	85	30	3	103	6	181	16	29	5	53	15	92	–	678	34	712
Other	4	–	2	1	–	8	–	11	–	–	–	1	–	2	–	29	–	29
AGAINST THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE	526	54	455	113	16	917	120	893	70	347	79	261	223	350	1	4085	340	4425
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE	158	14	95	24	1	79	12	73	6	16	4	26	10	58	–	539	37	576
FEDERAL STATUTES																		
Food and Drug Act	25	5	47	17	3	31	3	31	5	26	7	10	10	12	–	209	23	232
Narcotic Control Act	414	28	231	109	7	316	18	151	12	129	13	69	44	88	–	1551	78	1629
Other	77	14	26	12	2	80	10	40	3	7	1	40	38	57	–	377	30	407
PROVINCIAL STATUTES																		
Highway Traffic Act	676	15	79	44	2	925	45	209	7	133	5	70	30	150	–	2316	74	2390
Liquor Control Act	256	44	74	35	4	537	56	183	16	83	6	171	61	577	1	1977	127	2104
Motor Vehicle Administration Act	786	42	199	121	13	1144	48	434	9	263	13	256	147	458	–	3808	125	3933
Other	168	17	38	16	7	348	16	100	6	58	6	116	73	253	1	1170	53	1223
MUNICIPAL BYLAWS	146	26	26	10	–	11	1	3	1	–	–	1	1	9	1	207	29	236
TOTAL	6345	573	3537	1255	168	7352	513	4980	368	2322	305	1963	1511	3625	9	32890	1936	34826

[1] Data for persons at Lakeside Correctional Centre have been included with statistics for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

CRC – Calgary Remand Centre
CCC – Calgary Correctional Centre
BRCC – Bow River Correctional Centre
ERC – Edmonton Remand Centre
FSCC – Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre
BCC – Belmont Correctional Centre
PRCC – Peace River Correctional Centre
SPCC – St. Paul Correctional Centre
LCC – Lethbridge Correctional Centre

TABLE 15

INMATE POPULATION IN ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES

On March 31, 1983[1]

AVERAGE DAILY INMATE POPULATION		DETAINED	REMANDED	SENTENCED/ SENTENCED & REMANDED	FINE DEFAULT	FEDERAL	CORR. CENTRE SUB-TOTAL	FORESTRY CAMP	TEMPORARY ABSENCE	OTHER[2]	TOTAL
CALGARY REGION											
Calgary Remand Centre	M	–	183	94	13	42	332	–	22	35	389
	F	–	14	8	1	2	25	–	1	5	31
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	–	–	357	–	–	357	68	41	3	469
Bow River Correctional Centre	M	–	–	59	4	–	63	–	85	45	193
	F	–	–	10	–	–	10	–	10	4	24
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	–	183	510	17	42	752	68	148	83	1051
	F	–	14	18	1	2	35	–	11	9	55
EDMONTON REGION											
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	26	258	119	17	55	475	–	31	43	549
	F	–	13	9	4	5	31	–	4	3	38
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	–	–	375	4	1	380	48	63	37	528
	F	–	–	35	1	12	48	–	3	2	53
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	–	–	76	1	–	77	–	133	–	210
	F	–	–	16	–	1	17	–	13	1	31
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	26	258	570	22	56	932	48	227	80	1287
	F	–	13	60	5	18	96	–	20	6	122
NORTH/SOUTH REGION											
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	–	13	173	3	3	192	20	25	3	240
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	–	–	81	–	–	81	40	24	1	146
Lethbridge Correctional Centre	M	–	16	114	5	8	143	14	10	10	177
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1
Lakeside Correctional Centre	M	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	27	–	27
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	–	29	368	8	11	416	74	86	14	590
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	26	470	1448	47	109	2100	190	461	177	2928
	F	–	27	78	6	20	131	–	31	16	178
TOTAL		26	497	1526	53	129	2231	190	492	193	3106

[1] Does not include inmates escaped/unlawfully at large.

[2] Includes inmates in hospital, out to court, in transit or serving an intermittent sentence.

TABLE 16

AGE FOR INMATE POPULATION INCARCERATED IN ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES

On March 31, 1983[1]

MARCH 31, 1983 INMATE POPULATION		17 YEARS OR YOUNGER		18 TO 21 YEARS		22 TO 25 YEARS		26 TO 35 YEARS		36 YEARS OR OLDER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION													
Calgary Remand Centre	M	30	9.0	90	27.1	71	21.4	96	28.9	45	13.6	332	100.0
	F	2	8.0	7	28.0	9	36.0	6	24.0	1	4.0	25	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	16	4.5	116	32.5	75	21.0	102	28.6	48	13.4	357	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre	M	2	3.2	22	34.9	16	25.4	13	20.6	10	15.9	63	100.0
	F	–	–	6	60.0	1	10.0	2	20.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	48	6.4	228	30.3	162	21.5	211	28.1	103	13.7	752	100.0
	F	2	5.7	13	37.1	10	28.6	8	22.9	2	5.7	35	100.0
EDMONTON REGION													
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	34	7.6	128	28.5	104	23.2	128	28.5	55	12.2	449	100.0
	F	4	12.9	10	32.3	10	32.3	5	16.1	2	6.4	31	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	31	8.2	93	24.5	91	23.9	101	26.6	64	16.8	380	100.0
	F	–	–	16	33.3	11	22.9	15	31.3	6	12.5	48	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	6	7.8	23	29.9	18	23.4	17	22.1	13	16.8	77	100.0
	F	2	11.8	1	5.9	3	17.6	7	41.2	4	23.5	17	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	71	7.8	244	26.9	213	23.5	246	27.2	132	14.6	906	100.0
	F	6	6.3	27	28.1	24	25.0	27	28.1	12	12.5	96	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[2]													
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	21	10.9	78	40.7	47	24.5	30	15.6	16	8.3	192	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	10	12.3	42	51.8	16	19.8	8	9.9	5	6.2	81	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[2]	M	12	8.4	44	30.7	32	22.4	33	23.1	22	15.4	143	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	43	10.3	164	39.4	95	22.9	71	17.1	43	10.3	416	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	162	7.8	636	30.6	470	22.7	528	25.5	278	13.4	2074	100.0
	F	8	6.1	40	30.5	34	26.0	35	26.7	14	10.7	131	100.0
TOTAL		170	7.7	676	30.7	504	22.9	563	25.5	292	13.2	2205	100.0

[1] Data includes the Correctional Centre inmate population only and does not include persons at a forestry camp, on a temporary absence pass, in hospital, out to court, in transit, unlawfully at large, serving an intermittent sentence or at the Edmonton Adult Detention Centre.

[2] Data for inmates in Lakeside Correctional Centre are included in statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 17

ETHNICITY FOR INMATE POPULATION INCARCERATED IN ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
On March 31, 1983[1]

MARCH 31, 1983 INMATE POPULATION		NON-NATIVE		STATUS INDIAN		METIS/NON-STATUS INDIAN		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION									
Calgary Remand Centre	M	291	87.7	15	4.5	26	7.8	332	100.0
	F	18	72.0	5	20.0	2	8.0	25	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	312	87.4	26	7.3	19	5.3	357	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre	M	56	88.9	3	4.7	4	6.4	63	100.0
	F	9	90.0	–	–	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	659	87.6	44	5.9	49	6.5	752	100.0
	F	27	77.1	5	14.3	3	8.6	35	100.0
EDMONTON REGION									
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	331	73.7	46	10.3	72	16.0	449	100.0
	F	17	54.8	7	22.6	7	22.6	31	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	241	63.4	59	15.5	80	21.1	380	100.0
	F	26	54.2	7	14.6	15	31.2	48	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	64	83.1	6	7.8	7	9.1	77	100.0
	F	9	52.9	2	11.8	6	35.3	17	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	636	70.2	111	12.2	159	17.6	906	100.0
	F	52	54.2	16	16.7	28	29.1	96	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[2]									
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	86	44.8	42	21.9	64	33.3	192	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	60	74.1	12	14.8	9	11.1	81	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[2]	M	97	67.8	39	27.3	7	4.9	143	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	243	58.4	93	22.4	80	19.2	416	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	1538	74.1	248	12.0	288	13.9	2074	100.0
	F	79	60.3	21	16.0	31	23.7	131	100.0
TOTAL		1617	73.3	269	12.2	319	14.5	2205	100.0

[1] Data includes the Correctional Centre inmate population only and does not include persons at a forestry camp, on a temporary absence pass, in hospital, out to court, in transit, unlawfully at large, serving an intermittent sentence or at the Edmonton Adult Detention Centre.

[2] Data for inmates in Lakeside Correctional Centre are included in statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 18

AGGREGATE SENTENCE FOR INMATE POPULATION INCARCERATED IN ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
On March 31, 1983[1]

MARCH 31, 1983 INMATE POPULATION		1 TO 15 DAYS		16 TO 31 DAYS		32 TO 92 DAYS		93 TO 184 DAYS		185 TO 366 DAYS		367 DAYS OR LONGER		TOTAL	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
CALGARY REGION															
Calgary Remand Centre	M	11	10.3	16	15.0	27	25.2	19	17.7	12	11.2	22	20.6	107	100.0
	F	4	44.5	3	33.3	–	–	–	–	1	11.1	1	11.1	9	100.0
Calgary Correctional Centre	M	–	–	16	4.5	43	12.0	53	14.9	78	21.8	167	46.8	357	100.0
Bow River Correctional Centre	M	–	–	2	3.3	11	18.0	24	39.4	16	26.2	8	13.1	61	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	3	30.0	2	20.0	4	40.0	1	10.0	10	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	11	2.1	34	6.5	81	15.4	96	18.3	106	20.2	197	37.5	525	100.0
	F	4	21.1	3	15.8	3	15.8	2	10.5	5	26.3	2	10.5	19	100.0
EDMONTON REGION															
Edmonton Remand Centre	M	12	9.0	24	17.9	32	23.9	25	18.6	21	15.7	20	14.9	134	100.0
	F	4	30.7	1	7.7	4	30.8	3	23.1	1	7.7	–	–	13	100.0
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	M	2	0.5	14	3.7	41	10.8	72	19.1	111	29.4	138	36.5	378	100.0
	F	–	–	1	2.8	1	2.8	7	19.4	7	19.4	20	55.6	36	100.0
Belmont Correctional Centre	M	4	5.2	17	22.1	26	33.7	18	23.4	7	9.1	5	6.5	77	100.0
	F	–	–	3	18.8	5	31.2	4	25.0	2	12.5	2	12.5	16	100.0
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	18	3.1	55	9.3	99	16.8	115	19.5	139	23.6	163	27.7	589	100.0
	F	4	6.2	5	7.7	10	15.4	14	21.5	10	15.4	22	33.8	65	100.0
NORTH/SOUTH REGION[2]															
Peace River Correctional Centre	M	2	1.1	–	–	23	13.1	31	17.6	41	23.3	79	44.9	176	100.0
St. Paul Correctional Centre	M	–	–	1	1.2	4	5.0	26	32.1	29	35.8	21	25.9	81	100.0
Lethbridge Correctional Centre[2]	M	4	3.4	7	5.9	26	21.8	23	19.3	32	26.9	27	22.7	119	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR REGION	M	6	1.6	8	2.1	53	14.1	80	21.3	102	27.1	127	33.8	376	100.0
	F	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	M	35	2.4	97	6.5	233	15.6	291	19.5	347	23.3	487	32.7	1490	100.0
	F	8	9.5	8	9.5	13	15.5	16	19.1	15	17.8	24	28.6	84	100.0
TOTAL		43	2.7	105	6.7	246	15.6	307	19.5	362	23.0	511	32.5	1574	100.0

Missing Cases = 5

[1] Data includes the Correctional Centre inmate population only and does not include persons at a forestry camp, on a temporary absence pass, in hospital, out to court, in transit, unlawfully at large, or serving an intermittent sentence.

[2] Data for inmates in Lakeside Correctional Centre are included in statistics provided for Lethbridge Correctional Centre.

TABLE 19
COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS CASELOAD BY REGION
On March 31, 1983[1]

TYPE OF CASELOAD	CALGARY REGION			EDMONTON REGION			NORTH/SOUTH REGION			TOTAL FOR PROVINCE		
	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
COMMUNITY RELEASE	72	3	75	136	19	155	86	3	89	294	25	319
PRE-TRIAL RELEASE	114	13	127	141	33	174	29	–	29	284	46	330
FINE OPTION: PRE-INSTITUTIONAL	192	40	232	92	31	123	279	61	340	563	132	695
FINE OPTION: INSTITUTIONAL	17	1	18	25	2	27	13	1	14	55	4	59
PAROLE	2	–	2	17	–	17	58	–	58	77	–	77
PROBATION	1400	263	1663	2567	639	3206	2214	413	2627	6181	1315	7496
TOTAL	1797	320	2117	2978	724	3702	2679	478	3157	7454	1522	8976

[1] Classification for probation cases on March 31, 1983 included 1059 intensive, 4089 diversified and 2348 special cases. Parole included 28 intensive, and 49 diversified cases. All remaining cases were within the intensive classification.

TABLE 20
INVESTIGATION REPORTS BY REGION
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

TYPE OF INVESTIGATION	CALGARY REGION	EDMONTON REGION	NORTH/SOUTH REGION	TOTAL FOR PROVINCE
COMMUNITY RELEASE				
Community Investigations	850	1516	1743	4109
Violation Reports	243	209	81	533
PRE-TRIAL RELEASE				
Community Investigations	–	307	77	384
Violation Reports	–	98	4	102
FINE OPTION PROGRAM				
Pre-Institutional Reports	1212	1655	3393	6260
Institutional Reports	1006	1816	613	3435
PAROLE				
Community Assessments	5	94	349	448
Violation Reports	–	9	34	43
PROBATION				
Pre-Sentence Reports	554	1678	1178	3410
Post-Sentence Reports	1062	2421	1961	5444
Progress Reports	57	52	99	208
Violation Reports	718	1624	1707	4049
Miscellaneous Reports	238	329	822	1389
Early Termination Reports	173	371	260	804
TOTAL	6118	12179	12321	30618

TABLE 21

COMPARISON OF INVESTIGATION REPORTS, VIOLATION REPORTS, DELAYED PROBATION ORDERS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ORDERS for the Fiscal Years 1978/79 to 1982/83

	1978/79		1979/80		1980/81		1981/82		1982/83
INVESTIGATION REPORTS[1]									
Number of Reports	14922		17869		21732		25045		30618
Percentage Change		+19.7%		+21.6%		+15.2%		+22.3%	
VIOLATION REPORTS[2]									
Number of Reports	1928		2280		3076		3903		5513
Percentage Change		+18.3%		+34.9%		+26.9%		+41.3%	
DELAYED PROBATION ORDERS[3]									
Number of Reports	823		731		801		847		1064
Percentage Change		−11.2%		+9.6%		+5.7%		+25.6%	
COMMUNITY SERVICE ORDERS[4]									
Number of Reports	448		950		1154		1806		1948
Percentage Change		+112.1%		+21.5%		+56.5%		+7.9%	

[1] The total number of investigation reports.
[2] The total number of suspension reports filed as part of the Community Release Program and violation reports filed pursuant to Sections 664 and 666 of the Canadian Criminal Code.
[3] The total number of cases dealt with by the courts in which the disposition resulted in a combination sentence of imprisonment and probation.
[4] The total number of community service orders.

TABLE 22

ALBERTA CORRECTIONS CLIENT INVOLVEMENT WITH THE FINE OPTION PROGRAM BY REGION
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

FINE OPTION	CALGARY REGION		EDMONTON REGION		NORTH/SOUTH REGION		TOTAL FOR PROVINCE	
	Total	Average Per Client	Total	Average Per Client	Total	Average Per Client	Total	Average Per Client
PRE-INSTITUTIONAL								
Clients Accepted During 1982/1983	1202	*	1397	*	3092	*	5691	*
Hours of Community Work Service	42038	35	68415	49	131204	42	241657	43
Value of Fines Satisfied ($)	196425	163	315928	226	603791	195	1116144	196
INSTITUTIONAL								
Clients Accepted During 1982/83	1005	*	1507	*	556	*	3068	*
Hours of Community Work Service	29985	30	49842	33	22443	40	102270	33
Value of Fines Satisfied ($)	137177	136	225649	150	103282	186	466108	152
TOTAL								
Clients Accepted During 1982/83	2207	*	2904	*	3648	*	8759	*
Hours of Community Work Service	72023	33	118257	41	153647	42	343927	39
Value of Fines Satisfied ($)	333602	151	541577	187	707073	194	1582252	181

* Not Applicable.

TABLE 23

TEMPORARY ABSENCE PROGRAM

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

INDIVIDUAL INMATES GRANTED A TEMPORARY ABSENCE DURING THE FISCAL YEAR TOTALLED 12701[1]

TYPE OF TEMPORARY ABSENCE	APPLICATIONS MADE	APPLICATIONS DENIED	DAY RELEASE	FULL RELEASE HOME	FULL RELEASE CRC[2]	SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION	SUSPENSIONS VIOLATIONS	REINSTATED	REVOKED	TOTAL MAN DAYS
6 TO 15 DAYS										
Education	147	18	150	126	87	438	74	40	32	7345
Employment	2875	506	2392	3253	1005	1716	999	410	519	127003
Treatment	616	88	132	188	911	324	176	44	126	21828
Recurring Weekends	49	8	46	37	2	8	2	1	1	392
Other	24	7	9	18	2	14	–	–	–	321
1 TO 5 DAYS										
Weekend	727	206	224	283	23	505	2	–	2	1122
Compassion	153	21	92	43	1	131	–	–	–	244
Other	2592	492	747	1390	95	2049	10	–	10	7049
ADMINISTRATIVE	1370	1	8	1420	–	1326	–	–	–	3467
GROUP	6096	601	5495	–	–	5196	–	–	–	5196
TOTAL	14649	1948	9295	6758	2126	11707	1263	495	690	173967

[1] Includes 18 inmates granted parole during the year.

[2] Refers to Community Residential Centre.

TABLE 24

REFERRALS FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICE TO COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

	COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL CENTRE	TYPE OF REFERRAL: TEMPORARY ABSENCE		PROBATION		POST-RELEASE		OTHER		TOTAL FOR PROVINCE		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total
CALGARY REGION												
Calgary	1. Alberta Seventh Step	401	17	103	6	29	2	281	32	814	57	871
	2. Crowfoot-Sunrise Residence	56	3	7	2	–	–	6	–	69	5	74
	3. Ramsay House	193	1	56	–	1	–	4	–	254	1	255
	4. Recovery Acres (1835 House)	67	–	31	–	1	–	1	–	100	–	100
	5. Social Orientation Services	91	–	34	–	5	–	–	–	130	–	130
	6. The Villa	–	–	–	17	–	–	–	–	–	17	17
TOTAL FOR REGION		808	21	231	25	36	2	292	32	1367	80	1447
EDMONTON REGION												
Edmonton	1. Alberta Seventh Step	275	–	30	–	–	–	338	–	643	–	643
	2. Howard House	132	8	14	1	–	–	–	–	146	9	155
	3. Independence Apartments	40	–	23	–	–	–	127	1	190	1	191
	4. McDougall House	–	22	–	24	–	–	–	35	–	81	81
	5. Poundmaker's Lodge	135	19	67	11	–	–	36	4	238	34	272
	6. Project '72	31	2	66	11	–	–	–	–	97	13	110
	7. Recovery Acres	73	–	30	–	–	–	–	–	103	–	103
	8. Salvation Army Men's Rehab. Centre	–	–	19	–	–	–	–	–	19	–	19
	9. Salvation Army Social Service Centre	–	–	–	–	–	–	192	–	192	–	192
TOTAL FOR REGION		686	51	249	47	–	–	693	40	1628	138	1766
NORTH/SOUTH REGION												
Bonnyville	1. Bonnyville Indian/Metis Rehab. Centre	72	–	9	–	4	–	7	–	92	–	92
High Level	1. Action North Recovery Centre	37	2	42	11	–	–	5	1	84	14	98
Lethbridge	1. 630 House	69	–	6	–	2	–	1	2	78	2	80
Warburg	1. Youth Orientation Units	24	–	141	–	–	–	6	2	171	2	173
TOTAL FOR REGION		202	2	198	11	6	–	19	5	425	18	443
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE		1696	74	678	83	42	2	1004	77	3420	236	3656

TABLE 25

DAYS OF SERVICE AND TOTAL PAYMENT FOR COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983

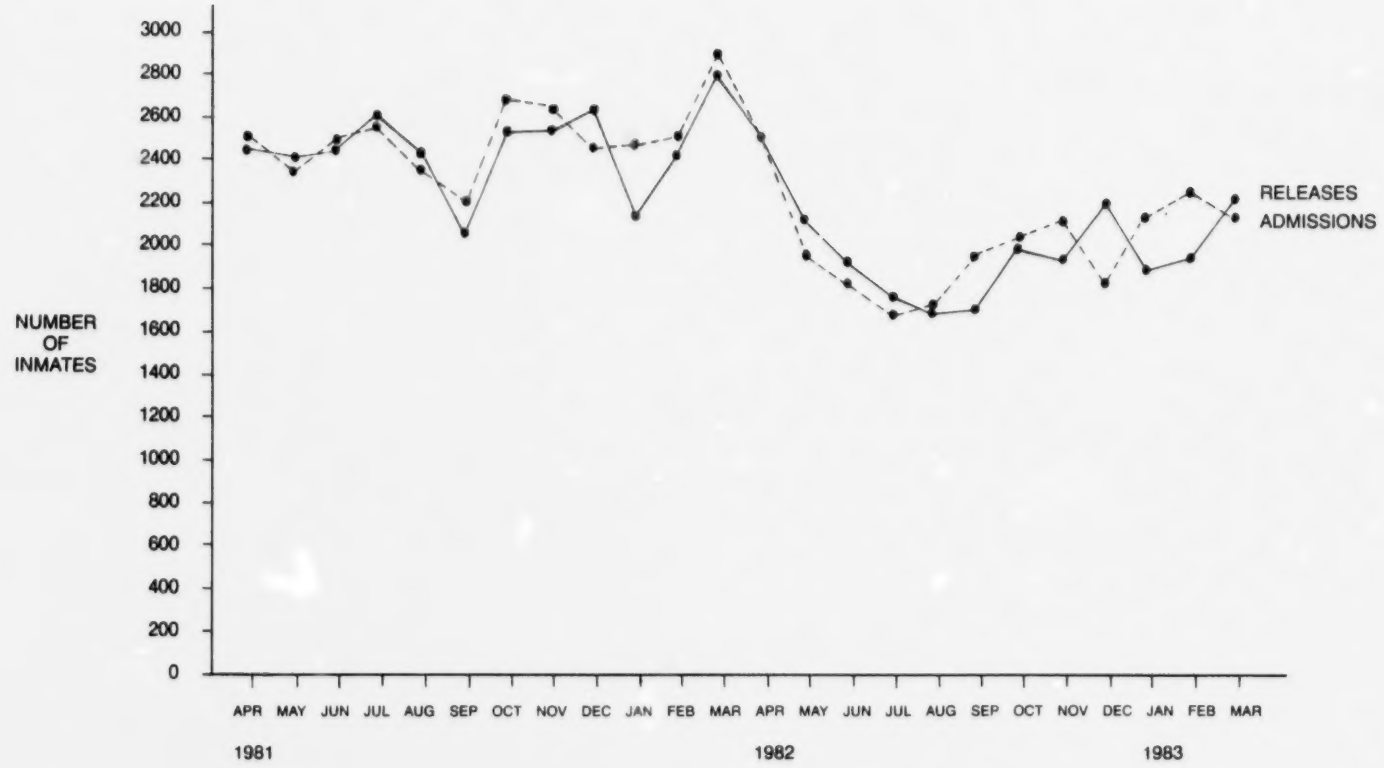
	COMMUNITY RESIDENTIAL CENTRE	DAYS OF SERVICE	TOTAL PAYMENT
CALGARY REGION			
Calgary	1. Alberta Seventh Step	10139	$223058.00
	2. Crowfoot-Sunrise Residence	1127	24090.00
	3. Ramsay House	4407	122466.96
	4. Recovery Acres (1835 House)	1818	48180.00
	5. Social Orientation Services	2005	39999.96
	6. The Villa	237	7942.00
TOTAL FOR REGION		19733	465736.92
EDMONTON REGION			
Edmonton	1. Alberta Seventh Step	7838	156760.00
	2. Howard House	3115	103447.00
	3. Independence Apartments	2659	185969.23
	4. McDougall House	985	48180.00
	5. Poundmaker's Lodge	3825	80300.04
	6. Project '72	2153	40149.96
	7. Recovery Acres	1789	32120.04
	8. Salvation Army Men's Rehab. Centre	322	7084.00
	9. Salvation Army Social Service Centre	1395	33522.59
TOTAL FOR REGION		24081	687532.86
NORTH/SOUTH REGION			
Bonnyville	1. Bonnyville Indian/Metis Rehab. Centre	1365	40149.96
High Level	1. Action North Recovery Centre	1384	40149.96
Lethbridge	1. 630 House	1412	40149.96
Warburg	1. Youth Orientation Units	4474	101436.00
TOTAL FOR REGION		8635	221885.88
TOTAL FOR PROVINCE		52449[1]	1375155.66[2]

[1] Alberta Solicitor General has transferred funds to Alberta Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission for an average of three beds per day at Napi Lodge (Lethbridge) and to Alberta Social Services and Community Health for an average of five beds per day at Wapiti Lodge (Grande Prairie).

[2] Total payment does not include additional funding in the amount of $29999.97 to John Howard Society – Bail Fund.

FIGURE 1

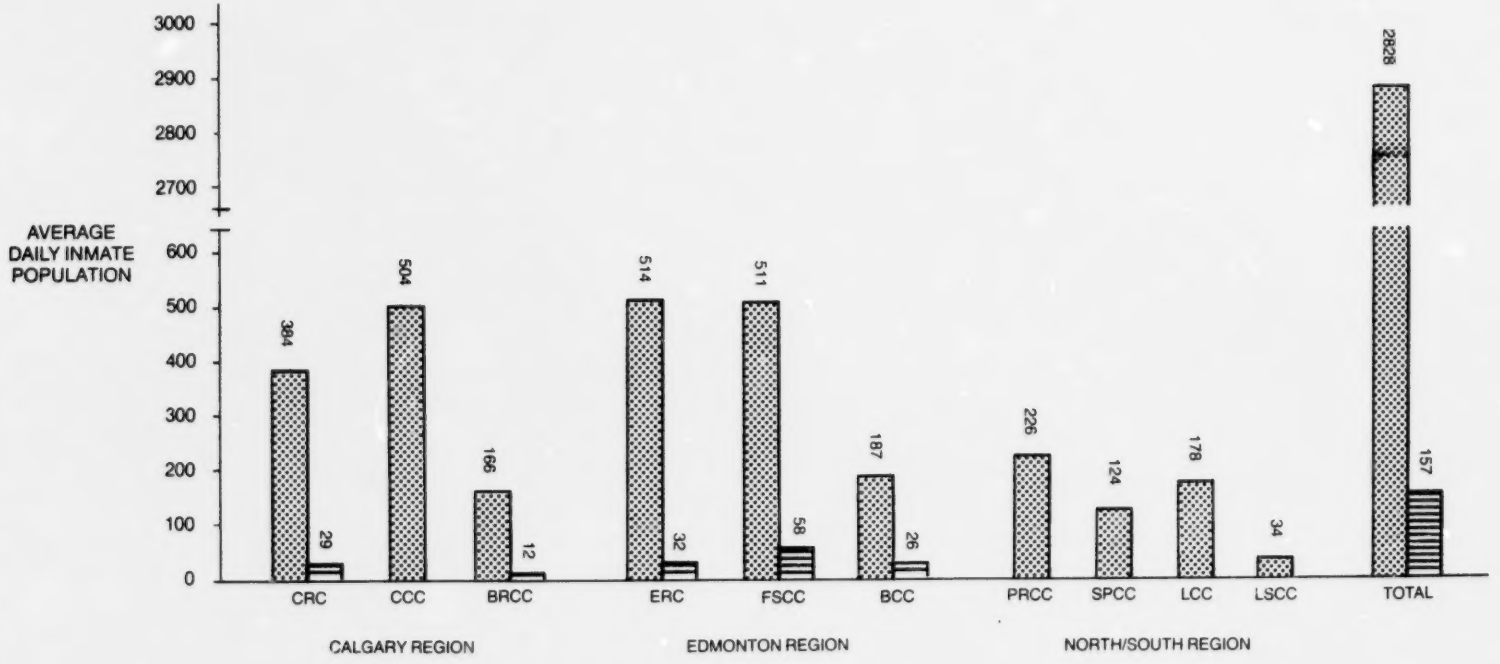
ADMISSIONS/RELEASES
ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Years 1981/82 and 1982/83[1]



[1] Total provincial admissions during the 1981/82 fiscal year were 30415. For the 1982/83 fiscal year the total was 24267.
Total provincial releases during the 1981/82 fiscal year were 29800. For the 1982/83 fiscal year the total was 24077.

FIGURE 2

ALBERTA DAILY INMATE POPULATION
ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES
During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983



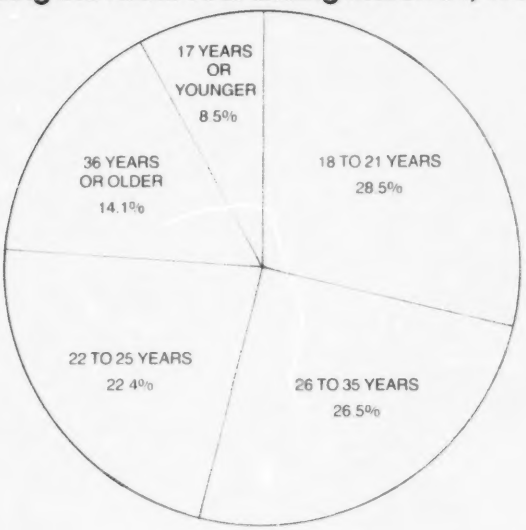
LEGEND MALES FEMALES

CRC – Calgary Remand Centre
CCC – Calgary Correctional Centre
BRCC – Bow River Correctional Centre
ERC – Edmonton Remand Centre
FSCC – Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre
BCC – Belmont Correctional Centre
PRCC – Peace River Correctional Centre
SPCC – St. Paul Correctional Centre
LCC – Lethbridge Correctional Centre
LSCC – Lakeside Correctional Centre

FIGURE 3

INMATE PROFILE FOR ADMISSIONS TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983



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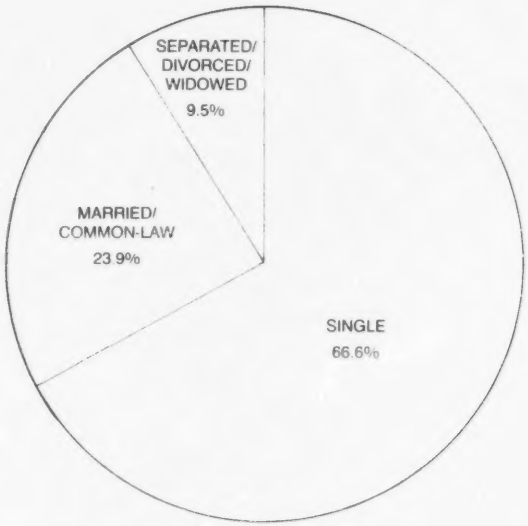
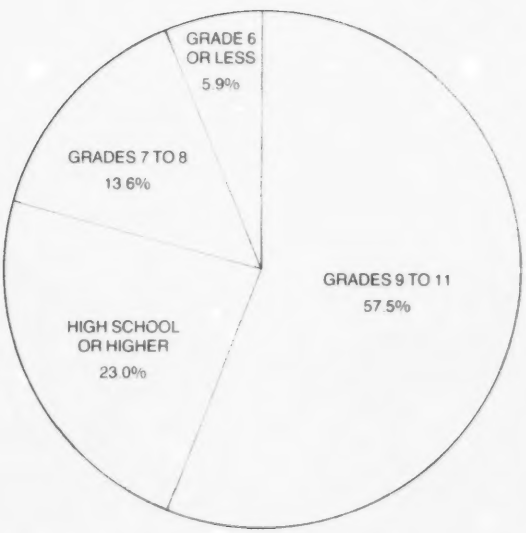


MARITAL STATUS

N = 24108

Missing Cases = 159



EDUCATION

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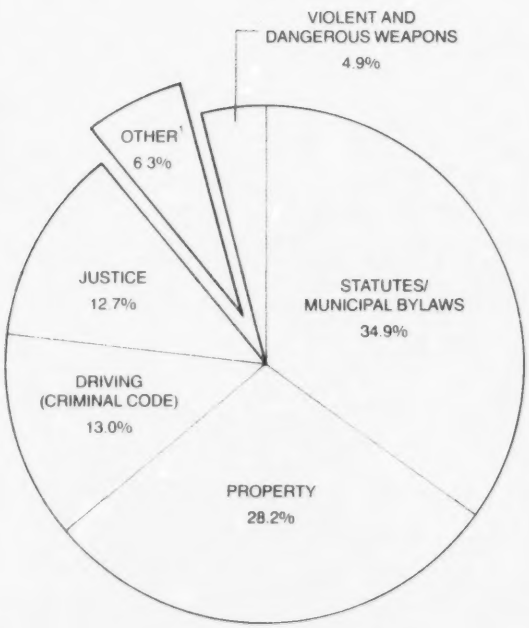


TYPE OF OFFENCE

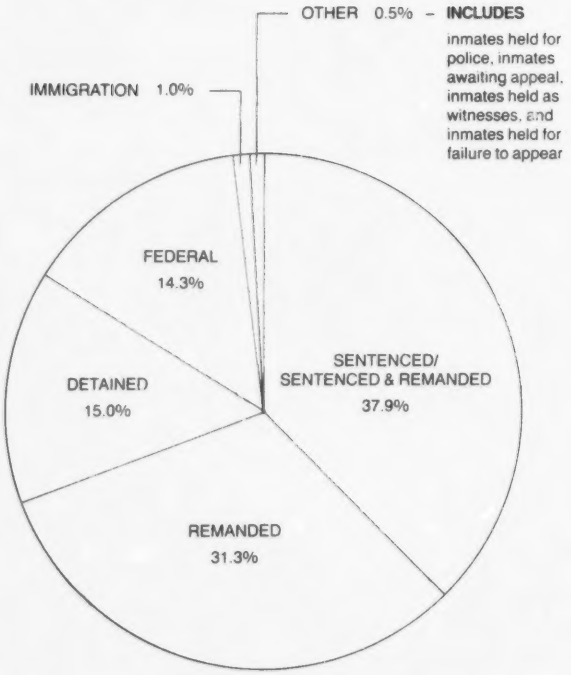
N = 24836

[1] Includes Offences Against the Public Order (2.5%), Offences Against the Person (2.1%) and Other – Criminal Code (1.7%).

FIGURE 4

STATUS FOR INMATES ADMITTED TO ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983



STATUS UPON ADMISSION

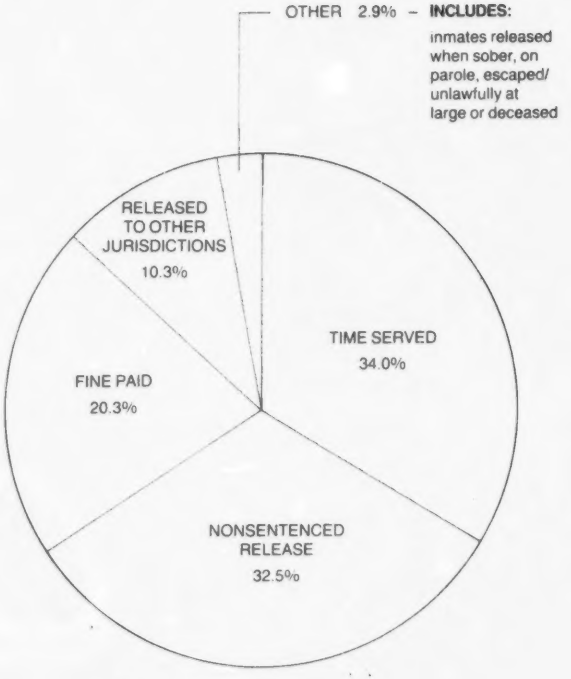
N = 24266

Missing Cases = 1

FIGURE 5

STATUS FOR INMATES RELEASED FROM ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL CENTRES

During the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1983



STATUS UPON RELEASE

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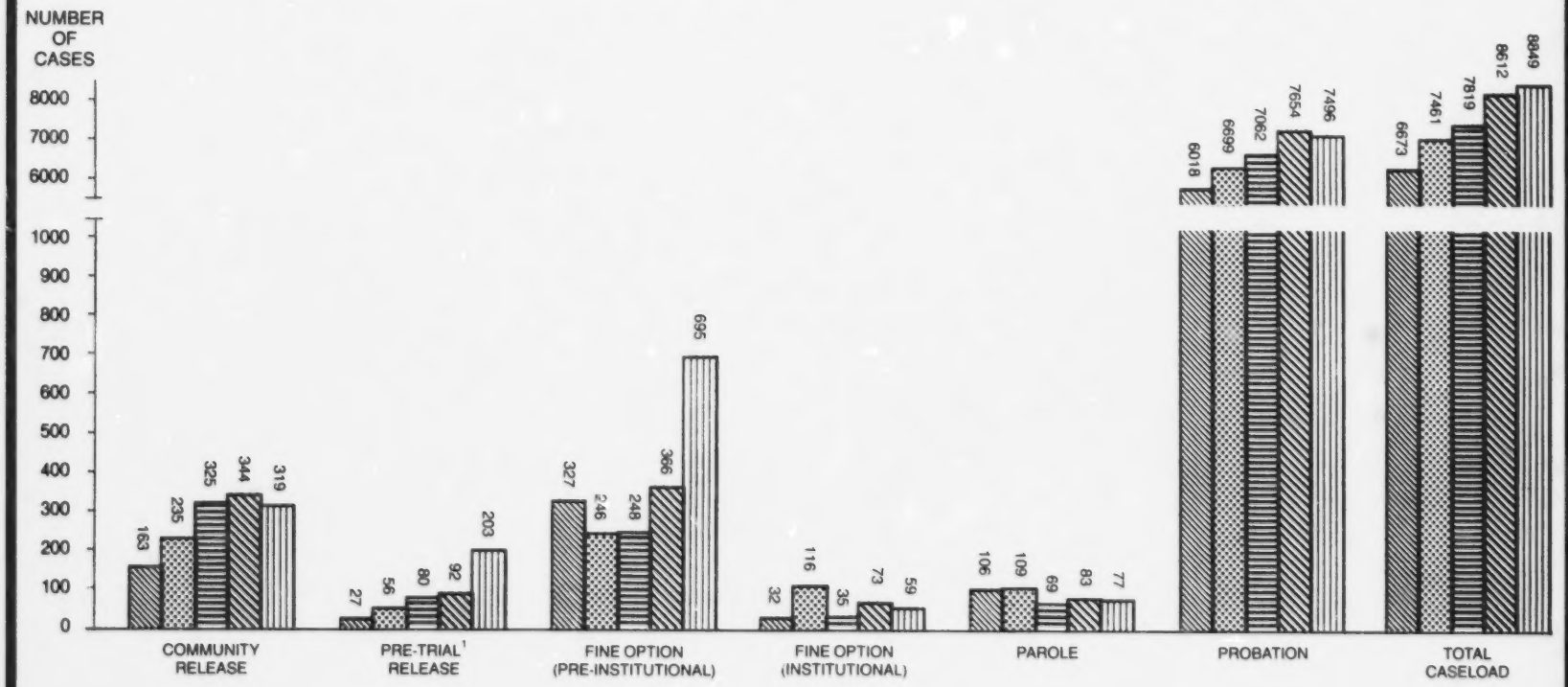
FIGURE 6

ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS CASELOADS
at Fiscal Year End (1978/79 to 1982/83)



LEGEND

March 31, 1979 | March 31, 1980 | March 31, 1981 | March 31, 1982 | March 31, 1983

[1] Does not include cases under supervision by the Calgary Bail Supervision Unit (Calgary Remand Centre).

FIGURE 7

ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
FINE OPTION PROGRAM
for the Fiscal Years 1978/79 to 1982/83

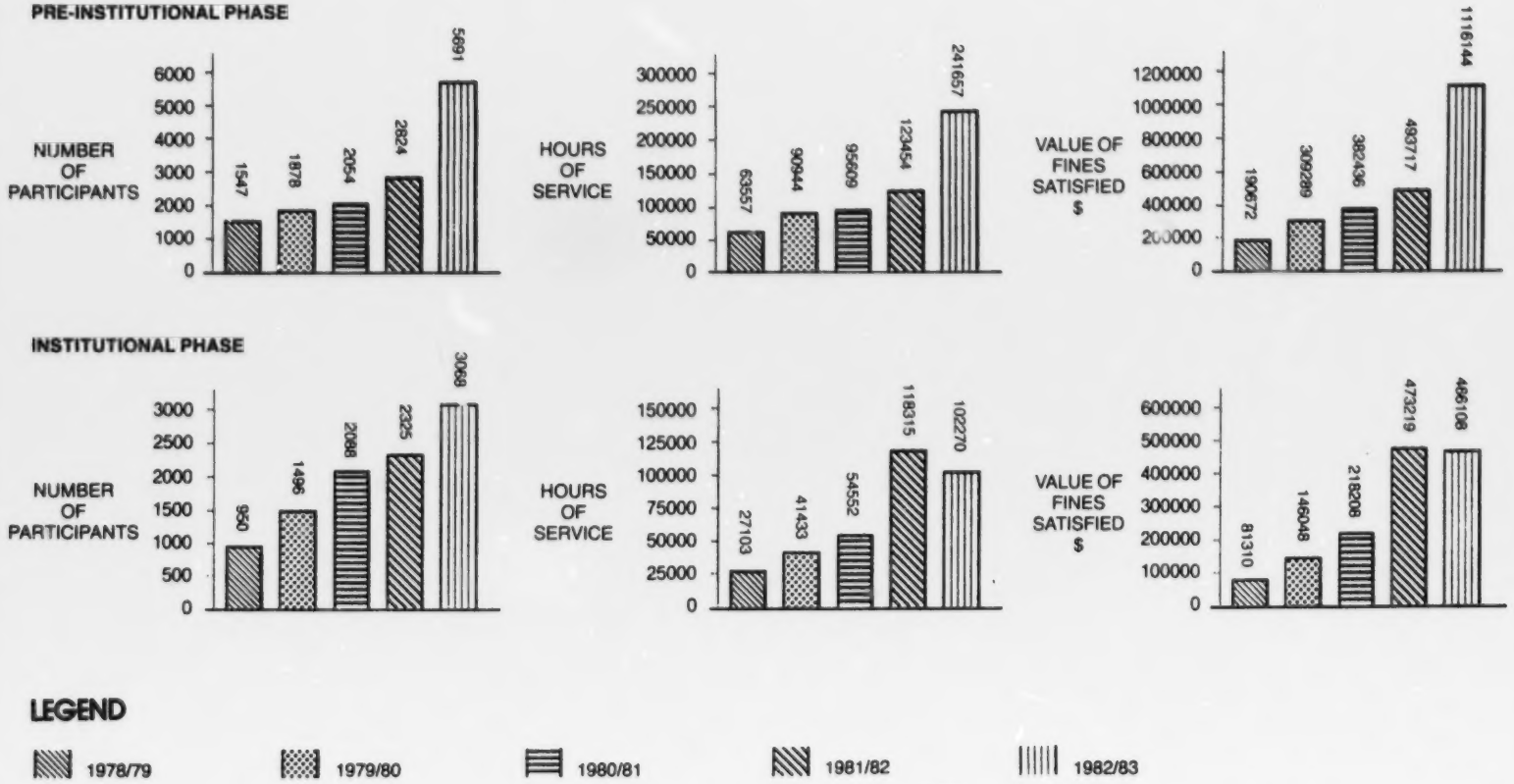
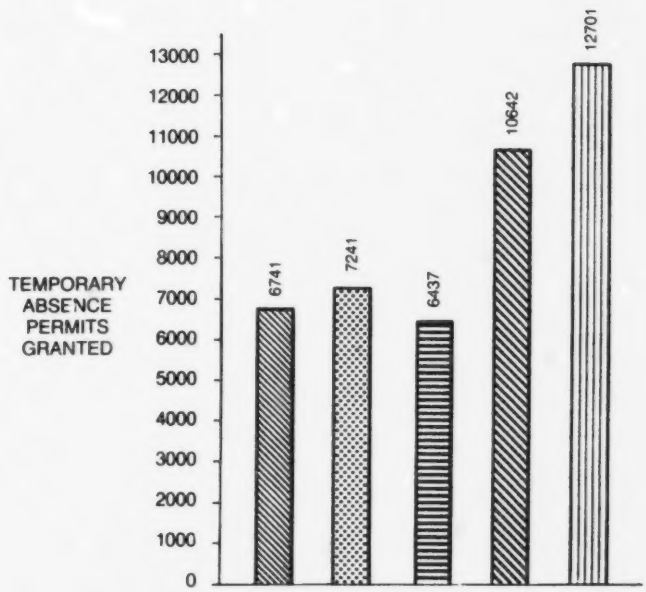


FIGURE 8

ALBERTA CORRECTIONAL SERVICES
TEMPORARY ABSENCE PROGRAM
for the Fiscal Years 1978/79 to 1982/83



LEGEND

1978/79 1979/80 1980/81 1981/82 1982/83

LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

The Law Enforcement Division is responsible for the administration of the Police Act (RSA 1980), the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act (RSA 1980), gun control legislation and the operation of the Alberta Highway Patrol. In discharging these responsibilities it maintains close working relationships with police departments, municipal police commissions, private investigators and security guard agencies, the transportation industry, provincial and federal government departments and agencies and the general public.

POLICING SERVICES

Public police services are provided to Albertans by 10 municipal police departments and the R.C.M.P.

The 10 municipal forces are comprised of 2,614 peace officers and 648 support staff and provide service to over half the population of the province.

The R.C.M.P., under contract, provides provincial police service to an area in which 23 percent of Alberta's population resides. Their authorized strength of 1,365 is comprised of 1,184 members and 181 public servants. Service is provided from 108 detachments and 41 highway patrol units. Approximately 230 positions are dedicated to full-time traffic law enforcement.

The R.C.M.P. also performs municipal policing services under contract to 60 urban municipalities in which 19 percent of Alberta's population reside. Five hundred and thirty-eight members were so employed while the respective municipalities employed 171 office support staff to assist the police.

SPECIAL CONSTABLE APPOINTMENTS

Under section 38 of the Police Act, RSA 1980, the Solicitor General has authority to appoint provincial special constables. At present, 1,458 individuals hold special constable appointments of which 641 were made in 1982/83. Appointments are held by provincial government employees, game officers, park rangers, Alberta Highway Patrol, investigators with Social Services and Community Health, Attorney General, Gaming Control Branch, the Securities Commission of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, as well as by municipal bylaw enforcement officers and certain persons employed by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. The number of special constable appointments is increasing because of demands for more enforcement and more crime prevention.

MUNICIPAL POLICE COMMISSIONS

Departmental staff have a continuing dialogue with police commissions, council members and administrators. Several topics of continuing concern have been amendments to the Police Act, R.C.M.P. municipal policing agreements, policing costs, law enforcement grants and commission authority.

Department representatives have also attended regular meetings of the Association of Police Commissions of Alberta.

Commission members from five towns and one city which have their own police departments also met with the Minister to discuss matters of concern.

LAW ENFORCEMENT GRANTS

In the fiscal year 1982/83, $27,502,774 was distributed in unconditional law enforcement grants to all urban municipalities which have their own police force or have entered into an R.C.M.P. municipal policing contract.

The Division also administers the following:

Police Building Grant

This is a grant to assist urban municipalities with construction of new police facilities or renovations to existing police buildings. The grant pays two-thirds of the construction cost up to a maximum of $80,000.

Police Phase-In Grant

This is a five-year grant to assist urban municipalities which establish their own police force or enter into a policing agreement for R.C.M.P. municipal policing. These municipalities are reimbursed at the rate of 60 percent of the per-man cost in year one, 40 percent in year two and 25 percent in years three, four, and five.

Liquor Control Subsidy

This subsidy is paid to those urban municipalities with their own lock-up facilities whose police detain individuals under section 77(1) of the Liquor Control Act.

Summer Village Policing Subsidy

Each summer village which employs a special constable to provide additional enforcement during the period May 15 to September 15 inclusive was reimbursed $400 per month.

Police Training Grant

The Division provides funds to assist smaller police departments in providing staff with basic police training, special courses in criminal investigation, breathalyzer operation, identification techniques, radar operation, sudden death investigations and others on request.

ALBERTA CHIEFS OF POLICE

The Law Enforcement Division holds semi-annual meetings with all municipal

chiefs of police and the Commanding Officer, "K" Division, R.C.M.P., to promote the exchange of ideas, to discuss mutual problems and to improve policing in Alberta.

LAW ENFORCEMENT APPEAL BOARD

Mr. Justice S.V. Legg is Chairman and Mr. James F. Falconer and Mr. Les Thirlwell are members of the Law Enforcement Appeal Board for a three-year term effective December 10, 1980.

During the year, 20 appeals were brought before the Board pursuant to section 33(5) of the Police Act. Of these, three were dismissed on the evidence, five dismissed for lack of prosecution, one was referred to the Attorney General for action, two were dismissed for lack of jurisdiction; one appeal was allowed with the individual being reduced in rank. Eight appeals are unresolved.

NATIVE POLICING

Fifteen Indian bands employ band constables to work on their respective reserves and 55 of these have been given special constable appointments, with authority to enforce specific provincial statutes. They work with the R.C.M.P. in maintaining law and order on the reserve; they are not a replacement for the provincial policing service.

A pilot project was developed on the Blood Reserve during 1979 and continues to date to provide a level of service to residents of Indian reserves in the province which would respond to the unique policing requirements of the Indian population. Authority was given to these tribal police following training, to enforce certain Criminal Code offences as well as all provincial statute violations which occur on the Blood Indian Reserve. The project has the active support of the R.C.M.P.

The R.C.M.P. Indian Special Constable Program has an authorized establishment of 46 positions. Alberta paid 54 percent of the cost and the federal Department of Indian and Northern Affairs paid 46 percent. Native special constables were stationed at 26 detachments which have Indian policing responsibilities.

CRIME PREVENTION

A Crime Prevention Committee was established during October, 1976, composed of personnel from Edmonton, Calgary, Medicine Hat, Lethbridge and Camrose police departments and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Smaller forces, although not regular members, are invited and do attend meetings. The Committee acts as an advisory body to the Director of Law Enforcement, recommending funding of selected crime prevention programs proposed by police agencies. It also identifies and recommends programs for promotion on a province-wide basis. Some of the programs being actively pursued are:

- Neighbourhood Watch
- Home Security
- Business Security
- Operation Identification
- Lady Beware
- Block Parent
- Vandalism
- Auto Theft
- Credit Card Fraud
- Range Patrol
- Bike Check
- Senior Power (Senior Citizens)
- Operation Provident
- Rural Crime Watch

In addition, police forces in the province lecture citizens on the following topics:

- Residential Security Inspection
- Child Molestation
- Drugs and Alcohol
- Fraud
- Shoplifting
- Robbery Prevention

A modest budget has been established for radio, television, newspaper advertising and grants to supplement the programs of the police forces. This program support has received favourable comment from the police and citizens alike. The Department maintains an up-to-date crime prevention film library for use by law enforcement agencies.

CHECK STOP

The Check Stop Program, commenced November, 1973, is a combined enforcement-education program designed to remove impaired drivers from the highway. The educational aspect is aimed at changing public attitudes toward drinking and driving by emphasizing the inherent dangers and consequences through the use of radio, television and newspaper advertising and through posters and pamphlets made available to provincial liquor outlets. Police participate by conducting roadside vehicle checks throughout the province. During the year 346,189 vehicles were checked through 12,813 Check Stop locations.

Citizens and police consider the program to be effective.

SUMMER STUDENT EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

In 1978, the Division, in cooperation with the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower, developed a pilot project that offers work-related experience to those potential peace officer students enrolled in the community college law enforcement program who have completed the first or second year of their course. During the 1982/83 fiscal year, the program provided 31 students with summer employment from May 3, 1982, to September 3, 1982, at 11 locations.

The response by both students and their summer employers has been

excellent and many students have been hired by municipal police departments and Alberta Highway Patrol upon graduation.

PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS AND SECURITY GUARDS

A total of 100 private investigation agencies and 89 security guard agencies are licensed in Alberta, employing 580 private investigators and 4,420 security guards.

GUN CONTROL

The Chief Provincial Firearms Officer is responsible for the administration and coordination of all aspects of gun control within the province as required by the Criminal Code of Canada.

One hundred and twenty-four police agencies and R.C.M.P. detachments provide the Chief Provincial Firearms Officer with a uniform written report which identifies all monies collected and all other work performed by them as it relates to firearms legislation. Police agencies are responsible for processing Firearms Acquisition Certificate applications, conducting inspections of businesses handling firearms for security and records of sales. They also issue permits for the transportation and carrying of restricted weapons as well as processing applications for registering restricted weapons. During this fiscal year, 25,569 applications for F.A.C 's and 1,105 Firearms and Ammunition Business Permits were processed.

ALBERTA HIGHWAY PATROL

The Alberta Highway Patrol consists of 84 members and 32 support staff located in 29 units throughout Alberta.

Patrol members are appointed as special constables with peace officer authority to enforce all provincial and two federal statutes. Their primary duty is the enforcement of Acts and Regulations related to the highway transportation industry.

From May 3 to September 3, 1982, eight students who were enrolled in law enforcement programs at Alberta colleges were employed under the Summer Temporary Employment Program.

During the 1982/83 fiscal year, the Patrol held: one Induction course, two Basic Patrol Officer Training courses, an Instructor's course, a Unit Commander's course and a Western Transportation course conducted at the R.C.M.P. Training Academy in Regina.

Approval has been given for participation in the Multi-Department Mobile Radio System and implementation of the MDMRS is scheduled for 1983/84.

Alberta Highway Patrol Enforcement Statistics Fiscal Year 1982/83.

Enforcement Action	Number	Vehicles Checked	Number
Prosecutions	18,078	Private	28,161
Written Warnings	32,761	Public	61,995
Routine Checks	65,803	School Bus	1,170
TOTAL	116,642		92,015

TABLE 26

ALBERTA POLICE INFORMATION SYSTEM
ACTUAL NUMBER OF OFFENCES BY CRIME TYPE BY POLICE JURISDICTION
For the Years 1981 and 1982

JURISDICTION		CRIMES OF VIOLENCE	PROPERTY CRIMES	OTHER CRIMES	CRIM. CODE TOTAL	FED. STAT. – DRUGS	OTHER FED. STAT.	PROVINCIAL STATUTES	MUN. BYLAWS	ALL OFFENCES TOTAL
BARRHEAD TOWN POLICE	1982	29	336	119	484	14	0	111	13	622
	1981	35	290	142	467	23	0	154	3	647
CALGARY CITY POLICE	1982	3,603	43,270	9,503	56,376	1,730	131	865	213	59,315
	1981	3,473	40,896	9,681	54,050	2,007	27	573	135	56,792
CAMROSE CITY POLICE	1982	89	662	400	1,151	54	2	865	337	2,409
	1981	83	759	499	1,341	91	9	887	241	2,569
COALDALE TOWN POLICE	1982	15	194	81	290	4	0	110	113	517
	1981	30	198	82	310	8	1	157	151	627
EDMONTON CITY POLICE	1982	7,065	54,200	14,278	75,543	1,668	459	4,165	6,378	88,213
	1981	6,178	49,746	14,715	70,639	2,546	127	4,562	4,271	82,145
HINTON TOWN POLICE	1981	66	588	281	935	45	6	108	6	1,100
LACOMBE TOWN POLICE	1982	28	360	170	558	19	7	350	0	934
	1981	23	354	196	573	55	30	512	0	1,170
LETHBRIDGE CITY POLICE	1982	510	4,178	1,997	6,685	159	12	5,261	1,156	13,273
	1981	440	3,635	1,907	5,982	161	4	5,136	1,193	12,476
MEDICINE HAT CITY POLICE	1982	268	2,779	1,344	4,391	88	11	1,166	312	5968
	1981	249	2,674	1,061	3,984	125	9	1,324	180	5,622
REDCLIFF TOWN POLICE	1982	25	298	93	416	10	0	56	95	577
	1981	46	321	197	564	24	1	112	27	728
TABER TOWN POLICE	1982	25	439	179	643	15	31	572	78	1,339
	1981	33	348	127	508	33	70	699	4	1,314
MUN. POLICE TOTAL	1982	11,657	106,716	28,164	146,537	3,761	653	13,521	8,695	173,167
	1981	10,656	99,809	28,888	139,353	5,118	284	14,224	6,211	165,190
RCMP TOTAL	1982	8,313	49,074	26,753	84,140	3,781	7,243	71,073	2,150	168,387
	1981	7,370	48,113	26,605	82,088	6,304	7,399	83,689	1,933	181,413
ALBERTA TOTAL	1982	19,970	155,790	54,917	230,677	7,542	7,896	84,594	10,845	341,554
	1981	18,026	147,922	55,493	221,441	11,422	7,683	97,913	8,144	346,603

MOTOR VEHICLES DIVISION

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The Motor Vehicles Division is responsible for the registration of drivers and vehicles. The Motor Vehicle Administration Act and Regulations, for example, confer authority on the Solicitor General or the Registrar to suspend and/or prescribe any remedial action for the negligent operator.

Motor vehicle registrations and total operator licences issued increased during the 1982/83 fiscal year. On March 31, 1983, the number of registered vehicles totalled 2,066,614, an increase of 39,624 or two percent over the previous year. The greatest increase was for Off-Highway Vehicles which rose by 15 percent over the previous year. On December 31, 1982, valid operator licences totalled 1,781,365, an increase of 75,410 or 4.4 percent over 1981. The total percentage increase of 1981 over 1980 was 6.8 percent.

Motor Vehicles Division continued organizational plans and activities designed to improve service to the public. For example, once the new computer system is in place, more than 85 percent of all motor vehicle transactions will be processed immediately through an automated facility. In the majority of cases, the customer will receive a permanent operator or vehicle registration on the spot – **a one stop shopping concept.**

Alberta residents were again given the opportunity to renew their 1983/84 annual vehicle registration plates and certificates through the mail. In total, 353,799 validation tabs were processed through this mail-in service.

The Motor Vehicles Division has worked during the 1982/83 fiscal year to set the stage for the implementation of the staggered vehicle registration system. This system will allow registered owners of vehicles to renew their registration throughout the year as opposed to the current March/April annual renewal period. The invitation to renew will be based on the first letter of the last name of the registered owner. This will ensure that all vehicles are registered to one person with the same expiry date. Two advantages of this are: 1) the reduction in the amount of time spent waiting in line at an issuing office to renew vehicle registration and 2) a reduction in the operational expenditure of this Division. This new program will be implemented gradually towards the end of 1983.

During the summer of 1982, the Motor Vehicles Division entered into a contract with Alpha Tel Ltd. of Edmonton to place portions of the Drivers' Handbook onto videotex equipment. The objective of the Pilot Project entitled "Young Drivers' Instructional Program" is to ensure that more effective learning takes place through presenting selected information and situations through the videotex equipment to the learner driver.

The project has already been tested among students in Valleyview and the results are very encouraging. The expense in providing the program is expected to be minimized and the coverage maximized since videotex equipment is readily available in many school districts throughout the Province. We expect this program to be used eventually throughout Alberta.

Motor Vehicle Statistics for 1982/83 fiscal year are shown in Tables 27 to 30.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT CLAIMS FUND

The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund continues to offer financial protection to the general public against uninsured and hit-and-run motorists by paying claims up to $100,000.00 for personal injury and property damage. During the 1982/83 fiscal year, 4,107 claims were paid, of which 447 were from Judgments of the Court. This compares with 10,062 claims paid during the previous year, of which 434 were from Judgments of the Court. This represents a substantial decrease of 59.2 percent in total claims and a slight increase of 3 percent in Court Judgments from the previous year. The rather large decrease is attributed to the December, 1981 legislative amendment which requires that a $200.00 fee be deducted for all property damage claims paid from the Fund. In addition, the Accident Claims Fund received 4,346 claims for abandoned vehicles for the 1982/83 fiscal year compared to 5,740 claims in the previous year. This represents a fall of 24.3 percent. This reduction in claims is attributed to Alberta Government Services arranging for the disposal of abandoned vehicles which, in many cases, covered the costs of towing and storage, thereby reducing the number of payments from the Fund.

TABLE 27
MOTOR VEHICLES DIVISION
Operator Statistics as of December 31, 1982

CLASS	AGE 14-15	16	17	18-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65	66	67	68	69	70+	TOTALS
	LICENCES BY CLASS AND AGE GROUPS (NOT INCLUDING INACTIVE OR EXPIRED RECORDS)															
1-3	0	0	0	359	5,120	13,416	9,388	5,320	1,691	43	40	35	14	13	29	35,468
1-3-6	0	0	0	85	1,952	6,063	2,815	1,270	312	4	5	6	2	2	3	12,519
2-3	0	0	0	189	1,669	4,845	3,839	2,457	1,366	74	55	51	23	27	68	14,663
2-3-6	0	0	0	31	364	1,223	543	308	116	5	1	0	1	0	1	2,593
2-5	0	0	0	0	1	11	18	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	40
2-5-6	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
3	0	0	0	918	12,202	38,413	34,639	31,452	20,480	1,401	1,321	1,193	1,200	946	3,059	147,224
3-6	0	0	0	165	3,686	14,450	6,293	3,372	1,290	55	51	36	37	23	60	29,518
4-3	0	0	0	16	382	954	524	274	168	1	10	8	4	1	14	2,356
4-3-6	0	0	0	6	118	370	115	39	12	1	0	0	0	1	2	664
4-5	0	0	0	435	3,117	5,695	2,197	813	295	10	9	5	6	3	16	12,601
4-5-6	0	0	0	42	442	826	186	53	9	0	1	0	0	0	1	1,560
5	0	13,677	23,541	68,029	239,182	412,952	235,351	149,097	109,331	7,864	7,946	7,219	7,378	6,470	44,308	1,332,345
5-6	0	295	823	3,023	22,530	45,018	11,223	4,010	1,624	80	65	71	70	39	127	88,998
6	0	93	61	112	384	316	39	12	8	0	0	0	1	0	2	1,028
6-7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	24,459	11,741	7,687	11,731	18,813	14,906	4,782	2,792	2,139	107	126	73	94	63	270	99,783
TOTAL	24,459	25,806	32,112	85,141	309,962	559,460	311,955	201,275	138,844	9,645	9,630	8,697	8,830	7,588	47,961	1,781,365
No. Drivers Age 79 or Greater = 8,934																
	LICENCES BY SEX AND AGE GROUP (NOT INCLUDING INACTIVE OR EXPIRED RECORDS)															
FEMALE	9,128	10,906	13,899	37,780	132,324	240,174	137,044	83,052	55,703	3,738	3,661	3,199	3,227	2,751	13,425	750,011
MALE	15,331	14,900	18,213	47,361	177,638	319,286	174,911	118,223	83,141	5,907	5,969	5,498	5,603	4,837	34,536	1,031,354

TABLE 28

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION STATISTICS

Fiscal Years Ending March 31, 1981, 1982, 1983

	1980/81	1981/82	1982/83	PERCENTAGE CHANGE 1982/83 OVER 1981/82
REGISTRATIONS				
Passenger Cars	1,125,410	1,199,582	1,238,365	+ 3.2
Motor Cycles	52,863	55,639	59,846	+ 7.6
Dealers	10,468	11,088	11,132	+ 0.4
Registration Trailers	232,504	239,920	245,982	+ 2.5
Public Service and Commercial Vehicles	480,806	493,431	480,039	- 2.7
Pole Trailers	250	287	209	- 27.2
Off-Highway Vehicles	29,713	27,043	31,041	+ 14.8
GRAND TOTAL	1,932,014	2,026,990	2,066,614	+ 2.0
PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES				
PS Freight Vehicles	16,862	17,961	16,757	- 6.7
E Freight Vehicles	9,521	9,592	9,332	- 2.7
H Non-Freight Vehicles	1,539	110	46	- 58.2
U Freight Vehicles – Cities, Towns, Villages and 10 kilometre Radius	9,254	9,398	8,172	- 13.0
L Liveries	3,197	3,458	3,610	+ 4.4
DU Drive-Yourself	13,294	13,186	10,552	- 20.0
BUS Franchised Buses	2,763	2,853	3,123	+ 9.5
SB School Buses	4,541	4,650	4,674	+ 0.5
SUB-TOTAL	60,971	61,208	56,266	- 8.1
COMMERCIAL VEHICLES				
CV Business Firms (Transporting Own Goods)	80,010	84,832	83,708	- 1.3
X Miscellaneous and for Commercial Operation in Cities, Towns, Villages and 10 kilometre Radius	158,251	158,179	146,987	- 7.1
F Farm Operation	162,406	167,350	170,101	+ 1.6
G Federal, Provincial and Municipal Governments	19,168	21,862	22,977	+ 5.1
SUB-TOTAL	419,835	432,223	423,773	- 2.0
TRAILERS				
PT Public Service and Commercial Pole Trailers	250	287	209	- 27.2
SUB-TOTAL	481,056	493,718	480,248	- 2.7

TABLE 29

SUSPENDED OPERATOR LICENCES, BY AGE AND SEX

By December 31, 1982

	MALE			FEMALE			TOTAL		
	NUMBER	% OF AGE GROUP	% OF TOTAL SUSPENSIONS	NUMBER	% OF AGE GROUP	% OF TOTAL SUSPENSIONS	NUMBER	% OF AGE GROUP	% OF TOTAL SUSPENSIONS
14 - 15	2	100.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	2	100.0	0.0
16	47	90.4	0.1	5	9.6	0.0	52	100.0	0.2
17	274	92.6	0.8	22	7.4	0.1	296	100.0	0.9
18 - 19	1,672	91.5	5.0	155	8.5	0.5	1,827	100.0	5.5
20 - 24	7,561	93.5	22.6	525	6.5	1.6	8,086	100.0	24.2
25 - 34	11,002	92.4	33.0	909	7.6	2.7	11,911	100.0	35.7
35 - 44	5,239	92.0	15.7	458	8.0	1.4	5,697	100.0	17.1
45 - 54	2,952	93.8	8.8	194	6.2	0.6	3,146	100.0	9.4
55 - 64	1,524	94.6	4.6	86	5.4	0.3	1,610	100.0	4.8
65	93	98.9	0.3	1	1.1	0.0	94	100.0	0.3
66	93	95.9	0.3	4	4.1	0.0	97	100.0	0.3
67	79	96.3	0.2	3	3.7	0.0	82	100.0	0.2
68	76	92.7	0.2	6	7.3	0.0	82	100.0	0.2
69	72	97.3	0.2	2	2.7	0.0	74	100.0	0.2
70 +	305	91.6	0.9	28	8.4	0.1	333	100.0	1.0
TOTAL:	30,991		92.7	2,398		7.3	33,389		100.0

TABLE 30

OPERATOR LICENCE CONVICTIONS AND SUSPENSIONS STATISTICS

	APR/82	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG.	SEP.	OCT.	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.	MAR/83	TOTAL
Convictions:													
Alberta Acts	30,981	22,563	25,179	22,813	25,652	33,213	47,724	46,467	34,713	43,038	46,888	50,700	429,931
Criminal Code	1,988	2,703	3,276	2,446	1,724	3,193	2,334	2,136	2,920	1,755	2,948	2,663	30,086
TOTAL CONVICTIONS	32,969	25,266	28,455	25,259	27,376	36,406	50,058	48,603	37,633	44,793	49,836	53,363	460,017
Suspensions:													
Demerit System 1 month	1,013	820	759	750	827	1,016	1,277	1,333	1,006	1,403	1,344	1,476	13,024
Demerit System 3 months	133	85	105	121	112	115	151	142	107	142	127	167	1,507
Demerit System 6 months	30	23	32	23	29	30	40	41	20	35	29	39	371
TOTAL DEMERIT SYSTEM	1,176	928	896	894	968	1,161	1,468	1,516	1,133	1,580	1,500	1,682	14,902
Impaired (Care and Control):													
C.C.C. Sect. 234:													
Impaired Driving - 3 months	14	9	21	11	10	8	7	5	15	9	7	5	121
Impaired Driving - 6 months	203	263	331	170	103	370	249	194	279	183	283	253	2,881
Impaired Driving - 12 months	73	118	94	141	70	123	94	90	130	62	134	134	1,263
Impaired Driving - 36 months	33	53	42	45	52	31	49	31	50	28	63	43	520
C.C.C. Sect. 235:													
Impaired Driving - 3 months	46	79	112	54	58	40	56	61	66	32	66	61	733
Impaired Driving - 6 months	844	1,194	1,515	1,044	553	1,736	980	1,052	1,313	761	1,248	1,221	13,461
Impaired Driving - 12 months	301	334	436	325	216	393	318	247	388	244	392	299	3,893
Impaired Driving - 36 months	115	106	138	137	139	108	129	76	172	92	169	139	1,520
Refusing Breathalyzer 235(234.1)	253	386	402	379	356	272	321	269	342	251	424	337	3,992
Fail to Remain	28	65	74	45	41	22	42	24	46	25	48	46	506
Criminal Negligence	9	23	18	12	21	9	12	17	11	8	9	21	170
Dangerous Driving	69	73	93	83	105	81	77	70	108	60	103	104	1,026
TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE	1,988	2,703	3,276	2,446	1,724	3,193	2,334	2,136	2,920	1,755	2,948	2,663	30,086
Disqualified Driving	103	114	179	217	164	109	162	162	283	222	311	269	2,300
Court Suspensions (Sec. 107 MVAA)	24	44	31	30	50	42	43	30	33	49	40	34	450
Judgement Suspensions (MVACA)	43	31	178	42	29	97	61	35	33	128	136	81	894
Ministerial (Medical)	5	31	39	41	45	27	33	31	22	16	25	18	333
Ministerial (Other)	–	–	1	1	2	5	4	7	10	1	5	11	47
Driver Control Board	191	248	305	184	197	213	170	445	378	302	350	465	3,448
TOTAL MVAA	366	468	733	515	487	493	473	710	764	718	867	878	7,472
TOTAL SUSPENSIONS	3,530	4,099	4,905	3,855	3,179	4,847	4,275	4,362	4,817	4,053	5,315	5,223	52,460
Miscellaneous:													
24 Hr. Suspensions	2,568	1,428	718	616	1,444	1,034	730	1,007	970	895	709	818	12,937
Sec. 70 MVAA (Invalid Pink Card)	405	258	279	207	252	236	320	269	199	267	149	46	2,887
Sec. 71 MVAA (Uninsured Motor Veh.)	355	287	228	222	343	292	365	321	278	331	289	223	3,534
Courtesy Notices	4,963	3,694	3,933	3,507	4,457	5,348	7,297	7,121	5,514	7,136	7,501	8,237	68,708
Invitations to Attend Impaired Driving Rehabilitation Program	1,882	2,542	3,091	2,306	1,557	3,031	2,203	2,025	2,755	1,662	2,788	2,492	28,334
Merit Points Credit	869	708	778	609	532	533	512	642	585	631	615	874	7,908

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD

The legal authority and the primary functions of the Driver Control Board are outlined in Sections 20 - 23 of the Motor Vehicle Administration Act. The main purposes of the Board are to provide:

- a counselling and enforcement agency for the errant driver endeavouring to change driving habits and attitudes and
- a greater degree of protection to the motoring public.

The Board's operations are divided into two functions:

1. Probationary drivers (age 16 - 17 years) who have accumulated eight, and not more than 14 demerits, are required to appear before an Administrative Assistant for counselling in respect to driving habits and responsibilities. Exception – should the probationary operator accumulate 15 demerits and enter into a suspension or be suspended for a Criminal Code offence before his interview, then he must appear before the Board for a hearing.
2. Any adult (18 years or older) who has had three suspensions in the most recent five-year period for either demerits or Criminal Code offences or a combination thereof, must appear before the Board for a hearing. In addition, there are special referrals from the Minister, a Judge, or the Registrar of Motor Vehicles for a probationary operator who has been suspended.

The Board continued to concentrate its efforts on improving efficiency with more individual client attention and with hearings in a broader range of communities. The functions of the Board are now becoming known in large urban centres as well as in sparsely populated areas. During this year, the Board has worked continuously to enhance a closer working relationship with other government departments, interested agencies, community groups, schools and law enforcement agencies for each of the communities in which it operates.

Edmonton Office

The Edmonton office conducts hearings on a regular basis in Camrose, Coronation, Edmonton, Edson, Bonnyville, Grande Prairie, High Prairie, Hinton, Lloydminster, Peace River, Red Deer, Stettler, Vermilion, Wainwright, Westlock, Wetaskiwin and Whitecourt. When required, hearings are conducted in Drayton Valley, Fort McMurray, Slave Lake, Smoky Lake, Valleyview and Vegreville.

Calgary Office

The Calgary Office conducts regular hearings in Brooks, Calgary, Drumheller, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat. When required, hearings are held in smaller centres including Banff, Cardston, Claresholm, the Coal Branch area and Hanna.

Lethbridge Office

The Lethbridge office conducts interviews and counsels probationary drivers (age 16 - 17) who have accumulated eight or more demerit points but have not been suspended. This office covers the area of the province from the Coal Branch area through to Medicine Hat. This office continues to maintain a close relationship with the schools, law enforcement and other government agencies. It also answers all inquiries on behalf of the Board.

Grande Prairie Office

This office carries out the same mandate as the Lethbridge office. Its jurisdiction includes the area from High Level to Grande Prairie, Peace River and Valleyview. Considerable progress has been made by our staff member in establishing contacts with schools, community groups and law enforcement agencies and increasing the Board's response to inquiries from the public in this area.

FIGURE 9

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD STATISTICS
April 1/82 - March 31/83

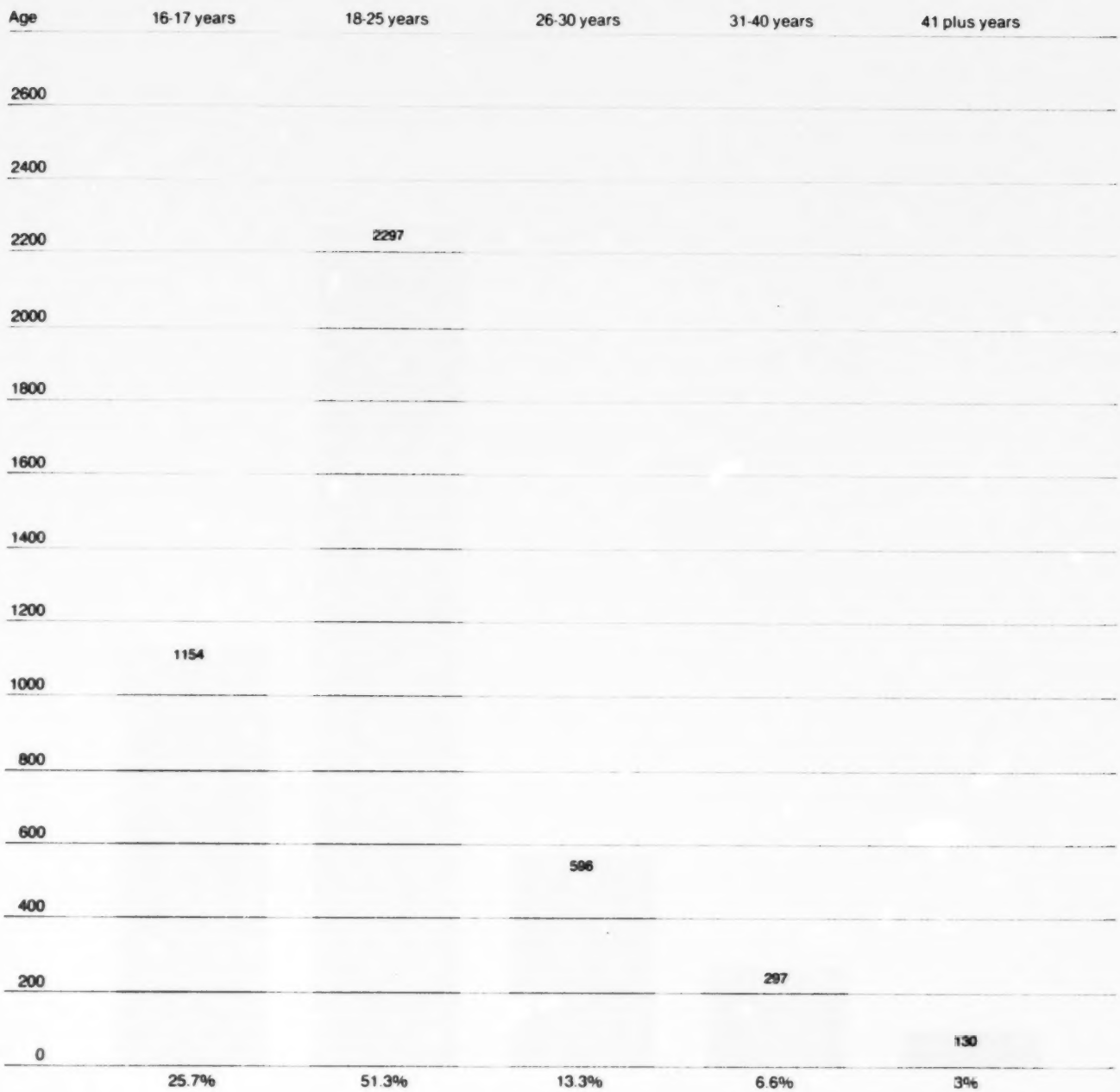
Scheduled Hearings Before the Board*	4474
Board Suspensions (from Hearings)	258
Board Suspensions (Other – for Non Compliance to Board Requirements or Failure to Appear)	3190
Persons Convicted of Liquor Related Offences Referred to A.A.D.A.C. for Assessment	74
Mandatory Driver Improvement Courses	738
Mandatory Driver Examinations	307
Endorsed Licences Issued	850
Total Referrals for Board Hearings*	7570
Total Referrals (Probationary Operators 16 - 17 Years) 8 or More Demerits	2036
Total Probationary Interviews Conducted	1784
Impaired Driver Referrals (Persons who failed to take the Impaired Drivers Course)**	303
Total Referrals to the Board	9909

* Variance: Indicates referrals pending Board hearings which will reflect in 1983/84 statistics.

** This service was discontinued by the Driver Control Board January 7, 1983. Now referred directly to Motor Vehicles Division.

FIGURE 10

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD HEARINGS BY AGE OF DRIVER April 1/82 to March 31/83



Total Number of Hearings 4474

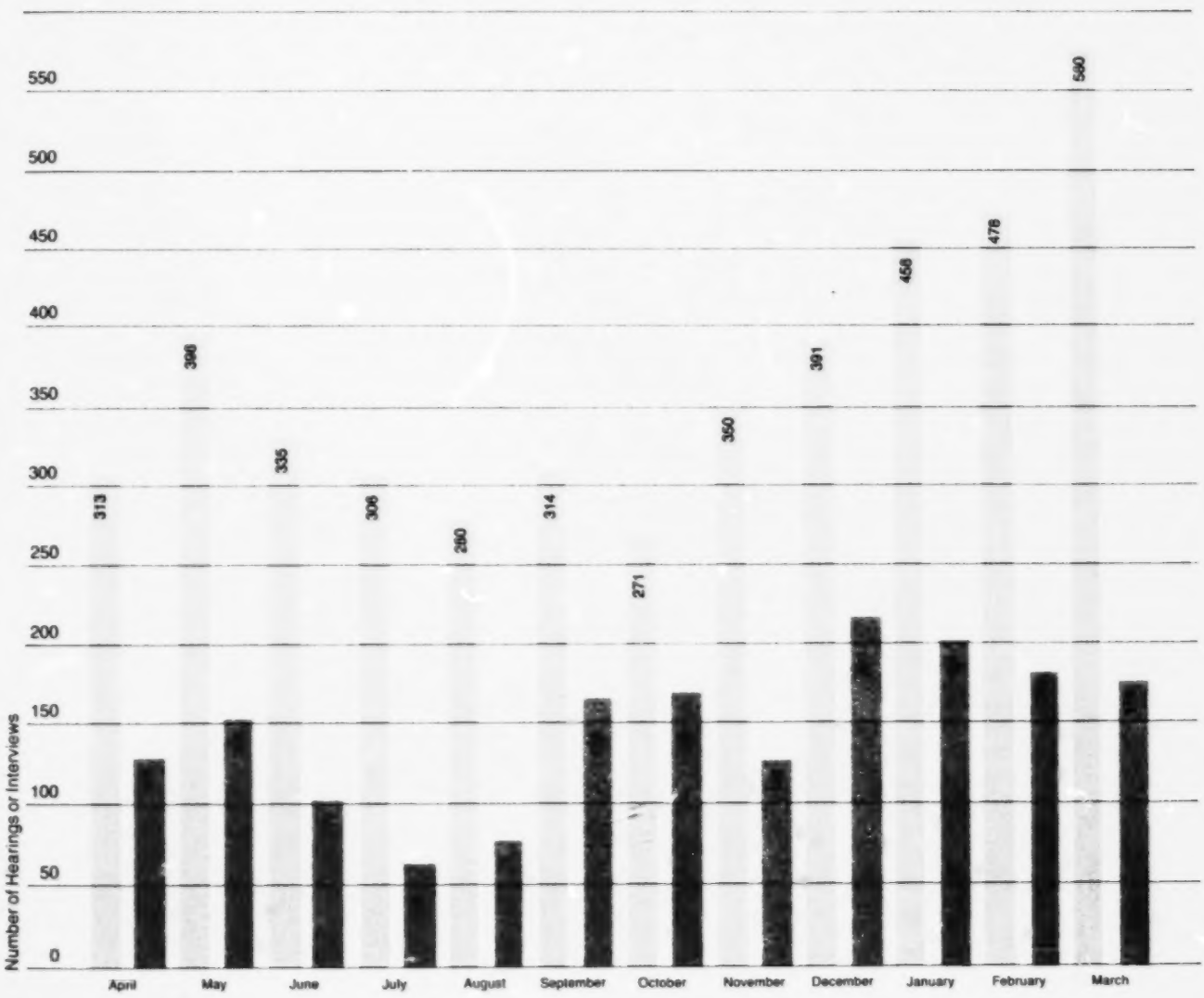
FIGURE 11

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD
NUMBER OF APPEARANCES
April 1/82 - March 31/83

Total Number of Appearances 4474

FIGURE 12

DRIVER CONTROL BOARD HEARINGS AND PROBATIONARY OPERATOR INTERVIEWS
April 1/82 to March 31/83



Total Number of Board Hearings – 4474
Total Number of Probationary Interviews – 1784

= Board Hearings

= Probationary Interviews

PERSONNEL DIVISION

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During this fiscal year, the Personnel Division continued to make improvements to the organization and to the level of service to the Divisions.

The Personnel Information and Management System (P.I.M.S.) became operational in the spring, with total implementation slated to be completed by the fall. In addition, the Solicitor General Staff Training College officially opened and is being used for all departmental training needs as well as providing a training facility for other organizations.

RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION

Although the number of competitions decreased during the 1982/83 fiscal year, the number of applications was significantly higher which meant considerably more time was spent on each competition. The Departmental vacancy rate was maintained at five percent for the year.

The Southern Regional Office successfully completed a major recruitment program for the new Lethbridge Correctional Centre. The Department also participated in all special recruitment programs, including Priority Employment Program (P.E.P.), Summer Temporary Employment Program (S.T.E.P.) and Summer Student recruitment. The university recruitment program was limited this year due to fewer vacancies in the types of jobs to which graduates are normally attracted. The Division was successful in providing a training program for line managers to conduct selection interviews and will be addressing other Divisions within the next year.

During the reporting period, for the department as a whole, 196 competitions were held. Of these, 128 were open to the public, 18 were limited to the government and 50 were departmental in scope. There were also 78 clerical referrals. Figure 13 provides a further breakdown of recruitment activities.

CLASSIFICATION

Activity in this area continued to focus on reviews of organizational structures within the main operating divisions of the department. In Motor Vehicles, the major review of the headquarters and field functions has been finalized and implementation will be completed by the fall.

The Correctional Services Worker series has been proposed, incorporating Correctional Officer and Social Worker classes with a view to representing more closely the operating needs of the Correctional Services Division. The review is in the final discussion stages with the relevant parties.

The reorganization of the Finance and Administration areas within the correctional centres is in the final implementation stages. In addition, the review of the Law Enforcement Headquarter's function was finalized during the last year.

The division has developed a benchmark manual of representative departmental positions, which will facilitate classification actions.

Figure 13 shows the position classification submissions handled during this fiscal year.

EMPLOYEE RELATIONS

During the fiscal year, this section continued to develop the existing Employee Relations programs. The unit was successful in providing numerous training sessions to managers and supervisors in all program Divisions of the department, focusing on topical issues and also on skills development in dealing with employee relations programs. To this end, an interpretive manual was prepared to provide more specific direction and clarification on the interpretation of the Master and Divisional Agreements.

The Employee Relations section is involved in providing the direction of the departmental LTDI program and also in finalizing the requirements for the development of the Employee Relations segment of the Personnel Information Management System, to be fully operational in the fall of 1983.

With respect to program activity, this year saw 70 grievances filed, with 33 still outstanding. The types of disciplinary action taken this year included 17 dismissals, 52 suspensions and 78 written reprimands, with three cases of position abandonment.

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY

Activities in this section centred on the identification of areas for improvement to existing programs and on the development and updating of program material.

Training in the areas of Basic Accident Prevention, First Aid, Defensive Driving and Emergency Survival was again offered, with emphasis on high accident areas. A reorganization of the Joint Worksite Committee structure is in progress, with all committees expected to be fully operational within the year. Progress was made in dealing with Occupational Health and Hygiene issues, including poor lighting, ventilation and VTR syndrome.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT AND TRAINING

Considerable development has been seen in this section during the fiscal year. A large facility for departmental training needs is now operational at the Staff Training College and all departmental Training Coordinators are

now encompassed within the Human Resources Services Section located at the College.

The unit has been heavily involved in reviewing existing training programs, as well as developing programs for the operational divisions. For example, this unit developed the staff development and training concept for the Correctional Services Worker series and is currently developing a program for retraining Motor Vehicles Division staff in relation to the introduction of the regional model.

Both management and support staff (Bargaining Unit) participated in a variety of courses offered through the Personnel Administration Office. In addition, due to the resources now available, a large number of employees took part in courses offered by the department. This segment is expected to develop within the next year. Figure 14 illustrates the number of training participants by division.

FIGURE 13

PERSONNEL TRANSACTIONS

A.	**RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION**		
	1. Competitions	Open	128
		Limited	18
		Departmental	50
		TOTAL	196
	2. Competition Breakdown	Management	29
		Professional/Admin./Tech.	59
		Senior Clerical/Support	57
		Patrol Officers	5
		Correctional Officers	32
		Driver Examiners	7
		Trades	7
		TOTAL	196
	3. Entry Level Clerical Referrals		78
B.	**POSITION CLASSIFICATION**		
	1. Position Creations		182
	2. Position Reclassifications		247
	3. Position Updates/no change		457
		TOTAL SUBMISSIONS	886

FIGURE 14

STAFF DEVELOPMENT & TRAINING
Seat Distribution by Division
April 1/82 - March 31/83

Division	External Courses	Organization/ Development Courses	In-House Courses	Total
Head Office	19	20	0	39
Corrections	330*	112	305	747
Law Enforcement	12	39	62	113
Motor Vehicles	3	33	14	50
TOTAL	364	204	381	949

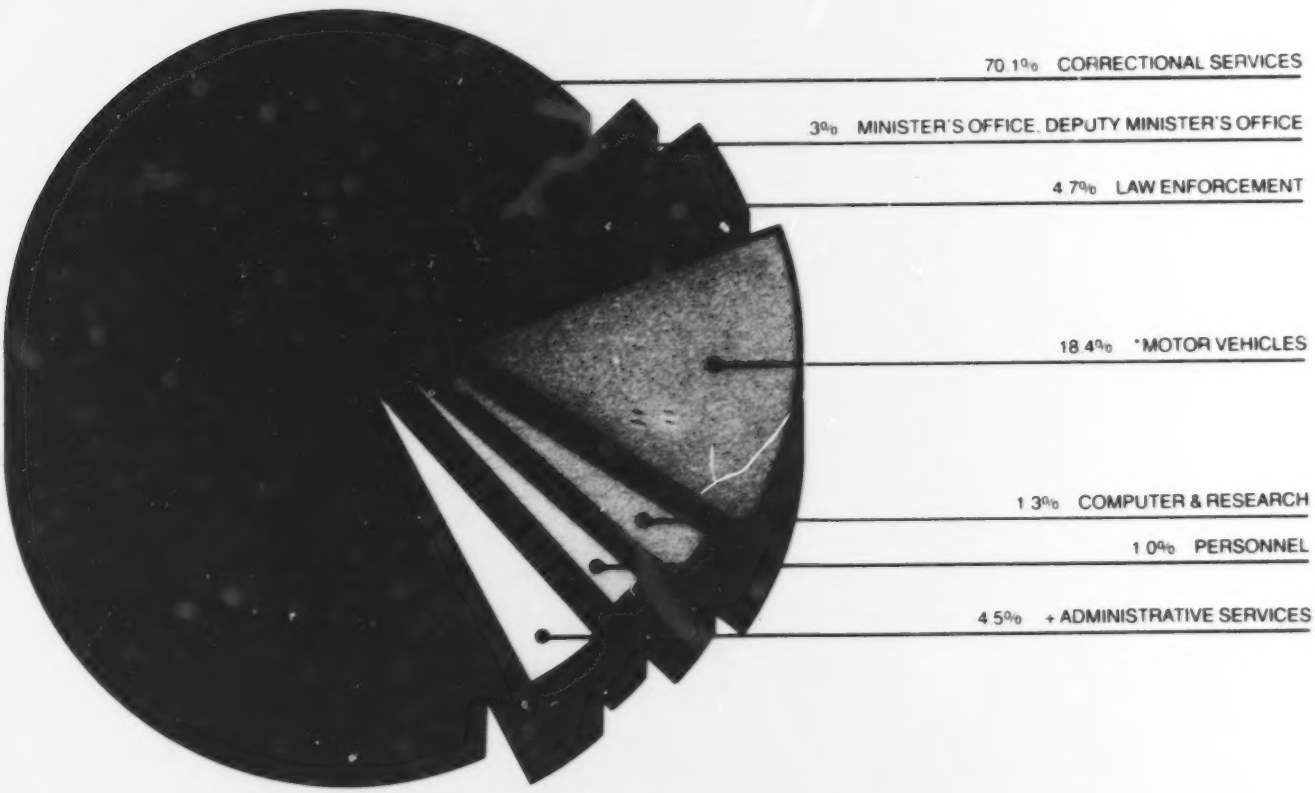
* Includes voluntary community college programs – 329 seats.

NOTE: An additional 530 seats were provided to employees within correctional centres by the centre training staff.

PERSONNEL DIVISION

FIGURE 15

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL BY DIVISION MARCH 31/83



Administrative Services	122
Personnel	27
Computer & Research	37
Correctional Services	1980
Motor Vehicles	519
Law Enforcement	132
Minister & Deputy Minister's Office	7
Total Positions	2824

* MVD includes Driver Control Board

\+ Administrative Services includes 52 LTDI positions (70 regular staff positions)

COMPUTER AND RESEARCH SERVICES DIVISION

COMPUTER AND RESEARCH SERVICES DIVISION

Last year's reorganization of the Division into the Operations Systems Development, the Systems Support and the Research and Planning Branches has permitted the Division to give more specialized attention to the needs of the other Divisions.

The following sections review the projects undertaken by the Division during 1982/83. Research findings are summarized. Projects are discussed according to the Division for which the work was undertaken.

CORRECTIONS PROJECTS

During the past year, several major changes were made to the Correctional Management Information System (COMIS). The largest of these involved the development of COMIS on Data General mini-computers for the Edmonton and Calgary Remand Centres. Labelled mini-COMIS, this new system was introduced to speed operations at the remand centres and to provide longer hours of operation than are available on the central computer.

In addition to the installation of mini-COMIS, the Division's systems analysts began work on a system for handling inmate accounts. Called the Inmate Trust Account/Incentive Pay System, this new development will monitor the money processed through inmates' trust accounts. By the end of the year, the system was undergoing testing at the Edmonton Remand Centre.

A second improvement to COMIS was the development of a report generator. This enables corrections staff to produce their own tailor-made reports without writing complex computer programs.

1983 brought major changes to the Criminal Code of Canada that necessitated changes to COMIS. The Division's analysts modified COMIS to mirror the amended Criminal Code as well as changes in provincial statutes. This required changes both to the table of current offences and to inmate charge records.

Several smaller changes were also made to COMIS during the past year. Changes were made to the Charge Screen used by corrections staff to record the charges facing an inmate. These changes will ensure a higher level of accuracy in the entering of charges. Changes to the Name Search routines on COMIS were also made. A phonetic name search is being developed to replace the less effective alphabetic name search technique. This will result in a more relevant set of "hits" when a name search is conducted.

The Division's analysts made two additional changes to COMIS – these were made to improve data security and to eliminate the need to re-enter data lost because of computer hardware problems.

During the past year, Division staff created a "corrections research file" containing COMIS data. This file provides research staff with a readily accessible database for information requests, data analysis and the production of computer graphics. The corrections research file contains inmate data from COMIS' inception in 1978.

In the past year the Division completed approximately fifty data extractions in response to information requests from Regional Services of the Correctional Services Division. These extractions involved writing Mark IV computer programs to select data from the COMIS database and the corrections research file.

LAW ENFORCEMENT PROJECTS

Law Enforcement projects centred around the newly-developed law enforcement research file. This file contains Uniform Crime Reporting (URC) data for all policing jurisdictions in the province from 1978 to the present. The law enforcement research file provides the research staff with a flexible method for producing policing statistics.

One of the first reports produced using the law enforcement research file was a 1982 summary Crime Trends Report. This report compared the incidence of crime in Alberta and selected policing jurisdictions during 1982 with the incidence in 1981.

An Alberta Crime Trends report was completed this year which examined Alberta's crime rates for the period 1971 to 1981. Alberta's rates were compared with those of the rest of the country and the other western provinces.

Four quarterly and a year-end Alberta Highway Patrol statistical graphics package were prepared this year. These reports compared enforcement and general activity statistics from the current year with those from the previous year.

The Research and Planning Branch also completed a report which reviewed the operation of the Alberta Highway Patrol. This report examined additional roles the Alberta Highway Patrol could play and was the third and final phase of a project started the previous year.

The increased public concern with impaired driving resulted in a report which summarized all available alcohol-related driving offence data for the past two years.

A Crime Prevention Program Inventory was also developed which catalogued all crime prevention programs in Alberta. It contains information on the programs' target populations, goals, delivery strategies, funding and manpower.

MOTOR VEHICLES PROJECTS

The new Motor Vehicle System (MOVES) continued to be the Computer

and Research Services Division's major development project during the 1982/83 fiscal year. Once completed, MOVES will automate much of the activity related to the administration of motor vehicle and driving registrations in the province. The design of MOVES was presented at the Motor Vehicle Information Systems conference in Indianapolis and also to a visiting hardware evaluation group from Singapore. Also, during the course of the year, the design, operation and development schedules of MOVES were outlined at MVD management meetings and to the SOFTWARE AG User's group. MOVES encompasses three major components. The Central component is the framework for MOVES and the base for the Applications and Intelligent Terminal Components. The second major component, the Applications Component, consists of a series of programs designed to perform the business functions directly related to the operation of the Motor Vehicles Division. The Intelligent Terminal Component is the third major component. It permits mini-computers located in the MVD issuing offices to process certain transactions independently of the central computer.

In the past year, most of the work on MOVES involved writing and testing the programs comprising the Central component. The Client and Microfilm subsystems of the Application Component passed user reviews and were well into the development stage by March, 1983.

To prepare for the actual implementation of MOVES, data purification of old computer files continued. This major effort will be completed in the fall of 1983. In the fall of 1982, the larger MVD issuing offices received mini-computers to be used for online access to the current MVD systems and the new online demerit program.

Final programming changes were made to the current motor vehicle system so that new licence plates can be issued in October, 1983, when the staggered registration program for vehicles will begin.

To update a report first produced in 1981, the Division completed a report examining the previous conviction, suspension and accident histories of drivers involved in fatal collisions in Alberta during 1982.

As an ongoing project, the Division produced monthly reports on the number of cash transactions processed in the eleven Motor Vehicle offices. This report is used by the management of the Motor Vehicles Division for monitoring the workloads of the various offices. The marked seasonal variation in workload is one of the reasons for the implementation of the staggered renewal system for vehicle registrations.

This year the Division completed a pilot Standards of Performance study for the Motor Vehicles Division. The study described, in detail, the workload of MVD offices. The study revealed that the workload of offices exhibited significant day-to-day variations.

The first phase of a study to review driver licencing was started this year. This study provided background information on the driver licencing procedures of other Canadian and American jurisdictions. The review was done to identify programs which appear to have a beneficial effect on traffic safety.

DEPARTMENTAL SUPPORT PROJECTS

Division staff participated in the development of the Young Drivers Instruction Program, a computerized teaching package for young drivers. During the past year, this package was installed at several high schools in the province for testing and evaluation. Following the testing, the package was offered to all the school boards in the province.

During the past year programming began on the Personnel Inventory and Management System (PIMS). PIMS is a computerized system which will automate many of the personnel tasks currently performed manually. For example, the Recruitment System will monitor the hiring of a new employee from the time a position becomes vacant to the time a successful candidate is chosen. The Recruitment, Personnel Profile and Staff Development components were near completion by the end of the year.

As part of the departmental support role, Division staff continued the preparation of procedure manuals. A Supply and Services and an Accounts Payable manual were completed and progress was made on the preparation of a Payroll manual.

Work on two interfaces between COMIS and external systems began in 1982/83. The first involved an interface between COMIS and the Alberta Attorney General's Court Automation Project (CAP) system. Now, when an inmate is given time to pay a fine and satisfies that fine (by paying it or serving the required amount of time), the CAP system will receive this information from COMIS. Work also began on the development of an interface between COMIS and the Canadian Police Information Centre system. When completed, this interface will give police access to selected pieces of information on inmates in provincial correctional centres.

During the past year, improvements were made to the interface between the Motor Vehicle System and the system maintained by the Canadian Police Information Centre. This interface gives police access to information on drivers and vehicles registered in the province. Changes were also made to the interface between the Court Automation

Project system and the Driver Demerit system. This interface permits information on driving convictions from the courts to be registered on the Driver Demerit system.

The Research and Planning Branch began work on a supplement to the Compendium of Criminal Justice Statistics which was first published in 1978. The supplement reports detailed police, court and corrections data for the period 1978 to 1982. It is to be published in the fall of 1983.

In January, the Computer and Research Services Division published the first edition of the Divisional newsletter, THE INFORMER. The newsletter is published every second month and is distributed throughout the department, to other Government departments with an interest in the Division's work and to agencies outside the province which perform similar roles. The INFORMER reports on the activities of each of the Branches in the Division including project status, descriptions and highlights.

OTHER PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

Division staff assisted the Driver Control Board in developing procedures for monitoring workload. The Division also produced monthly reports for the Board on their activities.

The Division compiled police related statistics for a number of outside researchers and agencies. Included amongst these were other provincial government departments, university researchers and private consultants.

During 1982/83, the Research and Planning Branch participated in the review of a victim-based statistical system with the Edmonton City Police Department.

The Division participated in The Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics through representation on the Liaison Officers Committee and the Law Enforcement Program Committee. A Divisional representative also participated as a member of the Crime Prevention Committee.

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DIVISION

The Finance and Administration Division is responsible for the delivery of sound fiscal planning, accurate accounting and control of expenditures and revenues, effective purchasing procedures and related support services as well as property and records management expertise. It accomplishes this through the following five branches:

FINANCE PLANNING BRANCH

The branch's main focus is the preparation of the Departmental Estimates of Expenditures and the subsequent forecast and analysis of expenditures. The branch acts as the departmental liaison with Alberta Treasury on the budget approval process and analysis of expenditures and prepares financial reports, analysis and supporting schedules for departmental management. This branch is also the central administration office for all departmental contracts.

FINANCE OPERATIONS BRANCH

This branch provides administrative direction, control and review of the department's financial affairs. The branch is divided into the following units:

a) Accounting Services:

This unit handles Accounts Payable, Accounts Receivable, Revenues and general accounting operations for the department. The unit is continuing its emphasis on the development of financial control systems and procedures. During the year, training was provided both to internal staff as well as field personnel in proper procedures for processing payments and revenues. The Provincial Government's "Thirty Day Payment Policy" target was achieved during the fiscal year.

b) Payroll and Benefits:

This area continues to review and improve payroll, benefits and Long Term Disability programs throughout the department. During the year, a Calgary payroll office was established to provide better service and training for the southern region. The unit also assisted with the completion of a Payroll Manual to ensure compliance with policies and procedures and to assist with staff training.

c) Financial Advisory Services:

During the year, this unit continued participation in systems development and procedures as well as the audit and review function. In addition to reviewing branches of the department, audits of voluntary agencies being funded by the department were carried out during the year.

SUPPLY AND SUPPORT SERVICES BRANCH

The Supply and Support Services Branch comprises four units: Supply and Procurement, Support Services, Distribution Centre and Library Services.

Supply and Procurement ensures the efficient purchasing of all departmental goods and services within the general policy framework established by the central governing departments. Economy of cost and quality standards and control are emphasized, keeping in mind the program needs and specifications required by the program divisions.

The Distribution Centre facilitates storage, handling, shipping and the economies of volume purchasing. Its facilities include a warehouse operation on the outskirts of Edmonton. This has enabled the centre to handle storage and distribution of all Motor Vehicle licence plates and validation tabs, uniforms and vehicle equipment for the Alberta Highway Patrol, uniforms for the driver examiners, along with the high volume of operating supplies for the department's offices and units throughout the province.

Support Services coordinates the control of all departmental fixed assets and related inventory systems. It also ensures the proper disposal and the replacement of obsolete, surplus or unserviceable assets. Accident claims and losses related to government vehicles and equipment are administered centrally to ensure that proper corrective action is taken. Support Services also coordinates such services as staff identification, maintenance of government vehicles and their effective control and use, rental and service agreements, R.I.T.E. and W.A.T.S. communications systems, mailing equipment and photocopier requirements. Highlighting this area was the decentralization of records for fixed assets to the self-accounting correctional centres.

Library Services provides reference and information services to all departmental program areas. A collection of current books and documents is maintained and supplemented by using computer-based data bases and other libraries. A current awareness system informs staff of new information in a variety of subject fields and during 1982/83 this led to increased requests for in-depth subject searches. In addition to the central library, correctional centre staff have access to satellite collections and regionally-based library staff. Inmate libraries are located in each centre to provide recreational and educational books and information.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT SERVICES

The Property Management section coordinates the facilities planning, construction, renovations and

maintenance of all departmental accommodation, whether leased or government owned. Other functions include the administration of employee parking, staff housing, acquisition of office furnishings, signage requirements and coordination of installation of all office equipment. This section also acts as the coordinating agent for preparation of the department's capital and accommodation budgets.

Major new facilities completed and opened this year consist of the following:

a) Lethbridge Correctional Centre, 16,622 m^2, at a cost of approximately $28,500,000.00.

b) Holy Redeemer College, 6,420 m^2, at a cost of approximately $2,100,000.00.

c) Fort McMurray Motor Vehicles Licencing Service Centre, 920 m^2, at a cost of $1,439,239.00.

In addition, major renovations were performed in nine Motor Vehicles Licencing Service Centres in preparation for decentralization of the system and on-line processing of operator licences and vehicle registrations. New Correctional Services offices were opened at Leduc and Olds. New shared accommodation for Alberta Highway Patrol and Driver Examinations were opened in Slave Lake, Claresholm, Bonnyville, Fort Saskatchewan and Wetaskiwin as well as a new Patrol Central Sub-Division office in Stony Plain.

Approximately 45 other renovation or relocation projects of varying sizes were completed.

RECORDS MANAGEMENT BRANCH

The Records Management Branch provides the following services:

- Development and implementation of records classification systems.
- Records management consulting, training and support services.
- Development and implementation of records retention/disposition schedules.
- Departmental mail management.
- Central records office administration.
- Forms management.

During the reporting period, the branch continued the departmental records conversion and improvement program. Development of the departmental subject classification was completed. Training in subject classification was provided to staff and systems were implemented at the Staff College and in the three regional offices of the Correctional Services Division.

The Forms Control Unit provides assistance to all departmental users in forms-related matters. Included are forms design/re-design; economical methods of construction and production; arrangement for vendor consultation and printing of all departmental forms.

COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The Public Communications Branch of the Solicitor General is responsible for ensuring that both the general public and the departmental staff are fully informed of the functions and objectives of the separate divisions within the Solicitor General's Department: the Correctional Services Division, the Law Enforcement Division and the Motor Vehicles Division. The aim of the communications branch is to enable the adequate dissemination of information on new programs and policies and to act as a public relations consultant on the varied needs of each division. Additionally, the branch is responsible for the development, design and distribution of printed materials, news releases, audio-visual presentations, brochures, posters and displays.

On a continuing basis, the communications branch provides editing, design and print consultation for the Corrections Division's quarterly publication, FOCUS.

For the Law Enforcement Division, the branch provides a liaison between advertising agencies and the Division in creating a public awareness campaign for the various Crime Prevention Programs and the Checkstop Campaign.

The branch is also responsible for creating and maintaining public awareness of the services and programs offered through the Motor Vehicles Division. This includes information on vehicle registration to encourage early renewal.

FINANCIAL SCHEDULES

ALBERTA SOLICITOR GENERAL SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ended March 31, 1983
(With Comparative Figures for 1982)

	1983	1982
DEPARTMENT SUPPORT SERVICE		
Minister's Office	$ 178,917	$ 157,753
Deputy Minister's Office	135,229	129,867
Finance and Administration	1,857,655	1,555,784
Personnel Administration	1,043,175	790,210
Computer and Research Services	1,967,064	1,298,060
	5,182,040	3,931,674
CORRECTIONAL SERVICES		
Programme Support	3,701,380	3,270,031
INSTITUTIONAL SERVICES		
Belmont Correctional Centre	2,233,485	1,983,095
Calgary Correctional Centre	9,959,736	7,887,028
Calgary Remand Centre	7,827,083	7,380,405
Edmonton Remand Centre	10,554,844	9,717,309
Fort Saskatchewan Correctional Centre	8,715,846	8,413,581
Lethbridge Correctional Centre	5,141,538	4,630,278
Peace River Correctional Centre	4,610,154	4,026,380
St. Paul Correctional Centre	2,615,436	2,453,984
Community Corrections	10,654,569	9,080,293
Native Courtworkers	1,412,550	1,167,102
	67,426,621	60,009,486
LAW ENFORCEMENT		
Programme Support	873,325	991,941
Financial Support for Policing	74,301,923	62,504,487
Highway Motor Patrol	3,897,580	3,255,832
Federal Gun Control	239,191	253,289
	79,312,019	67,005,549
MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND DRIVER LICENCING		
Programme Support	4,510,070	2,207,482
Licence Issuing and Accident Claims	21,965,336	19,611,406
Operator Licence Control	825,282	715,492
	27,300,688	22,534,380
TOTAL DEPARTMENTAL EXPENDITURES	179,221,368	153,481,089
Control and Development of Horse Racing	4,378,200	2,457,812
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	183,599,568	155,938,901

Note: 1983 figures are subject to audit by the Auditor General

ALBERTA SOLICITOR GENERAL
SCHEDULE OF NET REVENUES
For the Year Ended March 31, 1983
(With Comparative Figures for 1982)

	1983	1982
Motor Vehicles Division		
Licences, Permits, Accident Reports and Certificates	$ 52,630,995	$ 70,974,366
Law Enforcement Division		
Private Investigator and Security Guard Licences	57,790	66,365
Recovery of Costs		
Federal Parole Supervision	160,197	123,880
Federal/Provincial Shared Programs	669,764	561,900
Maintenance of Federal Prisoners	1,002,106	1,795,852
Services and Supplies to Staff	111,600	85,650
Firearms Licences	476,302	544,204
Previous Year's Refunds	446,502	121,607
Inmate Maintenance	79,669	107,599
Other Revenue	61,284	32,435
Adjustments to prior years recoveries on maintenance of Federal Prisoners	(1,895,271)	–
	53,800,938	74,413,858

Note: 1983 figures are subject to audit by the Auditor General.

BELMONT CORRECTIONAL CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 2,233,485	$ 1,983,095
Energy and Natural Resources	-	-
Alberta Government Services	600,698	458,265
Gross Operating Costs	2,834,183	2,441,360
Costs Recovered	2,630	310
Net Operating Costs	2,831,553	2,441,050
Average Daily Inmate Population	135	118

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	7,758	6,688
Cost Per Inmate/Day	57.46	56.68
Cost Per Inmate/Year	20,974	20,687

CALGARY CORRECTIONAL CENTRE (Includes Bow River Correctional Centre)

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 9,959,736	$ 7,887,028
Energy and Natural Resources	60,556	40,521
Alberta Government Services	1,295,479	1,110,923
Recreation and Parks	26,668	-
Gross Operating Costs	11,342,439	9,038,472
Costs Recovered	64,306	31,761
Net Operating Costs	11,278,133	9,006,711
Average Daily Inmate Population	523	451

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	30,899	24,676
Cost Per Inmate/Day	59.08	54.71
Cost Per Inmate/Year	21,564	19,971

CALGARY REMAND CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 7,827,083	$ 7,380,405
Energy and Natural Resources	–	–
Alberta Government Services	825,694	726,173
Gross Operating Costs	8,652,777	8,106,578
Costs Recovered	13,444	22,996
Net Operating Costs	8,639,333	8,083,582
Average Daily Inmate Population	333	377

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	23,669	22,147
Cost Per Inmate/Day	71.08	58.74
Cost Per Inmate/Year	25,944	21,442

EDMONTON REMAND CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$10,554,844	$ 9,717,309
Energy and Natural Resources	–	–
Alberta Government Services	1,165,118	979,803
Gross Operating Costs	11,719,962	10,697,112
Costs Recovered	34,563	34,013
Net Operating Costs	11,685,399	10,663,099
Average Daily Inmate Population	479	445

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	32,015	29,214
Cost Per Inmate/Day	66.84	65.65
Cost Per Inmate/Year	24,395	23,962

FORT SASKATCHEWAN CORRECTIONAL CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 8,715,846	$ 8,413,581
Energy and Natural Resources	46,410	41,979
Alberta Government Services	1,194,980	1,115,601
Gross Operating Costs	9,957,236	9,571,161
Costs Recovered	14,663	2,365
Net Operating Costs	9,942,573	9,568,796
Average Daily Inmate Population	477	394

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	27.240	26.216
Cost Per Inmate/Day	57.11	66.54
Cost Per Inmate/Year	20,844	24,286

LETHBRIDGE CORRECTIONAL CENTRE (Includes Lakeside Correctional Centre)

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 5,141,538	$ 4,630,278
Energy and Natural Resources	15,355	16,573
Alberta Government Services	571,295	604,819
Gross Operating Costs	5,728,188	5,251,670
Costs Recovered	7,394	7,076
Net Operating Costs	5,720,794	5,244,594
Average Daily Inmate Population	182	189

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	15,673	14,369
Cost Per Inmate/Day	86.12	76.03
Cost Per Inmate/Year	31,433	27,749

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PEACE RIVER CORRECTIONAL CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 4,610,154	$ 4,026,380
Energy and Natural Resources	23,528	22,704
Alberta Government Services	857,783	794,587
Gross Operating Costs	5,491,465	4,843,671
Costs Recovered	19,240	18,374
Net Operating Costs	5,472,225	4,825,297
Average Daily Inmate Population	215	189

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	14,992	13,220
Cost Per Inmate/Day	69.73	69.95
Cost Per Inmate/Year	25,452	25,531

ST. PAUL CORRECTIONAL CENTRE

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 2,615,436	$ 2,453,984
Energy and Natural Resources	40,748	35,746
Alberta Government Services	358,859	338,907
Gross Operating Costs	3,015,043	2,828,637
Costs Recovered	8,108	954
Net Operating Costs	3,006,935	2,827,683
Average Daily Inmate Population	105	105

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	8,238	7,747
Cost Per Inmate/Day	78.46	73.78
Cost Per Inmate/Year	28,637	26,930

TOTAL INSTITUTIONS

Institutional Services	1983	1982
Alberta Solicitor General	$ 51,658,122	$ 46,492,060
Energy and Natural Resources	186,597	157,523
Alberta Government Services	6,869,906	6,129,078
Recreation and Parks	26,668	-
Gross Operating Costs	58,741,293	52,778,661
Costs Recovered	164,348	117,849
Net Operating Costs	58,576,945	52,660,812
Average Daily Inmate Population	2,449	2,268

Inmate Costs		
Net Operating Cost/Day	160,485	144,276
Cost Per Inmate/Day	65.53	63.61
Cost Per Inmate/Year	23,919	23,219

FINANCIAL SCHEDULES

ALBERTA SOLICITOR GENERAL MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT CLAIMS FUND
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended March 31, 1983
(With Comparative Figures for 1982)

	1983	1982
Deposits in trust with the Province of Alberta at beginning of year	$10,534,313	$ 5,549,237
RECEIPTS		
Fees	9,018,279	9,262,107
Recoveries	688,146	708,856
Interest	1,986,724	1,423,409
Sale of Abandoned Vehicles	191,843	225,144
	11,884,992	11,619,516
TOTAL	22,419,305	17,168,753
PAYMENTS		
Property Damage	$ 1,781,247	$ 2,926,231
Personal Injury	3,286,337	2,023,411
Abandoned Vehicles	520,675	1,025,116
Agent's Fees	173,932	244,891
Taxed Court Costs	232,108	154,893
Appraisal Fees	84,797	106,240
Medical and Ambulance Costs	203,169	120,474
Credit Reports and Investigation Fees	16,613	18,384
Court Reporting Fees	16,101	11,534
Miscellaneous	4,655,610 *	3,266
	10,970,589	6,634,440
Deposits in trust with the Province of Alberta at end of year	11,448,716	10,534,313

* Includes $4,650,000 refunded to the General Revenue Fund, representing advances to cover fund deficits incurred in previous years.

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